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September Term. A.D. 1886

The Board of Commissioners in and for the County of DeKalb in pursuance of the requirements of law met at the Court House of said County on Monday the first day of September A.D. 1886 — Present then Hons. Solomon D. Longfellow & Thompson and James M. Gortschius. Present also Milton T. Pierce, Auditor of said County and Clerk of said Board, and Isaac Brandt, Sheriff of said County.

The Board now proceeded to business.

Daniel Welch, the person appointed to superintend the construction of a Bridge across "Twenty Six Mile Creek" on Sections 32 & 33 on the road leading on C. P. Coleman's west line in Wilmington Township, a bill for services for advertising and letting the contract for building said Bridge, amounting to "two Dollars" and after mature deliberation the board allowed said bill

Order issued Sep 3 1886

Ordered that Willard Fales be allowed the sum of Six Dollars, for keeping Sarah Finch a County pauper from the 28th day of February 1886 to the 10th day of April 1886, as per bill filed and certified to by Trustees of Concord Township.

And that Willard Fales be also ~~allowed~~ allowed the sum of Sixteen Dollars & 75/100 for keeping Sarah Finch, from April 10th A.D. 1886 until May 5, 1886 at one dollar per week and for keeping said pauper eleven weeks thereafter at one & 25/100 Dollars per week, as per bill filed and filed and certified to by Trustees of Concord Twp.

Order issued Sep 3 1886

Ordered that J. H. Ford be allowed the sum of Ninety Dollars for Medical Attendance on Elizabeth McCart, a poor person, as per bill filed and certified by Trustees of Richland Township.

Order issued Sep. 9 1886

Ordered that Daniel Welch be allowed the sum of Thirteen & 12/100 Dollars for twenty one days service on Bridge across Twenty Six Mile Creek at .63⅓ cents per day, as per bill filed.

Ordered Sep 13 1886

It appearing that a vacancy existed in the Board of Trustees of Smithfield Township, the Commissioners appoint Harvey Pelk to fill said vacancy, and ordered that the Auditor notify the said Pelk of this appointment

September Term. A.D. 1856.

Ordered That Joel E. Thomson be allowed the sum of Twenty five cents for each admeasure on Box of Books, and Fifty cents for Carring Box of books to Auburn for use of County as per bills filed and certified to.

And the Board adjourned to meet to morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Solon Delong
Joel E. Thomson
Test. Gottschalk

Tuesday morning, September 2nd A.D. 1856, The Board met pursuant to adjournment, present the same as yesterday. After the minutes of the proceedings of yesterday were read approved and signed the Board proceeded to business

A certified copy of a proceeding had by the Commissioners of Allen County at their June Session A.D. 1856 was now presented to the Board of Commissioners, which in words is as follows:

"Comes now Henry Wentworth and Cyrus Worden and others and present a petition, praying for the location of a road to commence at the State Road running from Kendallville to Fort Wayne on the County line between the counties of Allen and DeKalb thence running west on the County line between the counties of Allen and DeKalb till it intersects the Spencerville and Scipio road, and the Board being satisfied that legal notice of application for said proposed road has been given and that the said petitioners have in all respects complied with the requirements of the law for the establishment of Roads and Highways. It is therefore ordered by the Board, that Andrew Metzger be, and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner on the part of the County of Allen, State of Indiana, to meet a Commissioner to be appointed on the part of the County of DeKalb and State of Indiana at the house of Abram Jackson in Scipio Township in said County of Allen, on Monday, the Sixth day of October, 1856 to proceed to examine said proposed road for said proposed road. And it is further ordered by the Board that the Auditor issue a precept to the Sheriff of the County of Allen, commanding him to notify said Metzger of his appointment and the time and place of meeting, and also to deliver to said Commissioner a certified copy of said petition, and it is further ordered by the Board that the Auditor of the County of Allen, notify the Auditor of DeKalb County of the proceedings had in this Court in reference to said proposed road also to forward to the said Auditor of DeKalb County, a certified copy of petition. And it is further ordered by the Board that the Commissioner appointed on the part of the County of Allen make report of the proceedings had in the premises to this Board.

December Term A.D. 1836

at the December term of this Court for 1836."
(Certified by Auditor of Allen County.)

The Board after mature deliberation appoint Daniel Moody of Newville Township in DeKalb County a Commissioner to on the part of DeKalb County to act in conjunction with Andrew Metzger the Commissioner appointed on the part of the County of Allen to view said road. and ordered that the Auditor of DeKalb County issue his precept to the sheriff of said county commanding him to notify said Moody of his appointment and that he proceed to the house of Abram Jackson in Scipio Township, Allen Co Ind. on the sixth day of October A.D. 1836 and then and there proceed in conjunction with the said Andrew Metzger to view the said road for road above described, and also to make report of the proceedings had in the premises to this Board at their December session for 1836.

Ordered that J. & R. Ettinger be allowed the sum of Four dollars for making "case" for Auditors office, as per bill filed and certified by Co Auditor

Ordered that Wm. Dillon be allowed the sum of 75 cents for fitting windows in Recorders office, as per bill filed and certified by Co Recorder.

Ordered that Smith & Craig be allowed the sum of six dollars for services as Superintendents of Bridges, as per bill filed and certified to.

Ordered that Hiram Jones M.D. be allowed the sum of Three & 50/100 Dollars for medicine furn. and attention to Patrick Sullivan a county pauper as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Union Township

And that J.D. Davis be allowed the sum of Three and 00/100 Dollars, for "Mush Pan" "Tea Pot" "Knife & Forks" "Pot Lock" "Shovel & Tongs" and "Tin Pipe," all for use of County, as per bill filed and certified to by Sheriff DeKalb County

And that S.H. Sprat be allowed the sum of Twenty five dollars for his services as Clerk for quarter ending December 1. 1836 as per bill filed and certified to.

September Term, A. D. 1836.

Issued Sept 8th 1836

Ordered That Levi Wilson be allowed the sum of Sixty two & 00/100 Dollars for Stationery furnished county as per bill No 10, filed.

Orders issued Sept. 3. & 4. 1836

Ordered that M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of One hundred & four & 80/100 Dollars for services as Co. Auditor in part as per bill filed and certified to.

Orders issued Sept 3. 1836

Ordered That H. C. McGonigal be allowed the sum of Fourteen Dollars for Printing receipts and expenditures and for printing and binding forms of "Blank applications for payment of School funds. as per bill filed and certified to.

Order issued Sept. 15. 1836

Ordered That James McBonagen be allowed the sum of Eight & 50/100 Dollars for publishing "receipts and expenditures" and notice of redemption of County orders as per bill filed and certified to.

Issued Sept 15th 1836

Ordered That John A Detmers be allowed the sum of Five & 75/100 Dollars for services as Superintendent of Bridge on Road leading from Auburn to Ft. Wayne. as per bill filed and certified to.

Issued Sept. 16. 1836

Ordered That J. J. Hoffmen be allowed the sum of two Dollars for services as overseer of Poor for Union Township. as per bill filed and certified by Trustees of said Township

Order for two Issued Sept 6

Ordered That M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of One Hundred & Twenty seven dollars, in part for making Duplicate for 1836 as per bill filed and certified to and One hundred and two dollars for other services performed as county Auditor. as per bill filed and certified to.

Order issued Sept 6. 1836

Ordered That Gore & Stewart be allowed the sum of Five & 25/100 Dollars for Setting and putting Ninety two Lights of Glass in Court House. as per bill filed and certified. by Sheriff of County

Issued Sept. 6. 1836

Ordered That D. Whitney be allowed the sum of One & 87/100 Dollars for Bible furnished for Co. Prison as per bill filed and certified by Sheriff Brunds

September Term. A. D. 1836

issued Sept 1, 1836

Ordered That Adam Hartel be allowed the sum of Twenty five Dollars for one Cow furnished for Poor Farm. as per bill filed and certified by Sheriff Brandt.

Ordered That James A. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of Seven Dollars for medical attention to Jacob Lauttmer, a county pauper. as per bill filed and certified by Justice of Union Twp.

issued Sept 2. 1836

And that James A. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of ~~Twenty~~ Sixty four & 14/100 Dollars for services as County Physician for quarter ending Sept 2. 1836 as per bill filed and certified to.

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Sobry Debig
Danl. D. Thomson
E. McGoetschius

Wednesday Morning, September 3rd. 1836— Board met pursuant to adjournment— Minutes of proceedings of yesterday read, approved, and signed by Board. Present the same as yesterday.

And the Board proceeded to business

issued Sept 3 1836

Ordered That Isaac Brandt be allowed the sum of Twenty five dollars for extra service as Sheriff, for quarter ending September 1st. 1836 as per bill filed and certified to by Sheriff of DeKalb Co.

Isaac Brandt Sept 6 1836

And that Isaac Brandt be allowed the sum of Five & 80/100 Dollars for services as Sheriff in serving Writs for August Term of DeKalb Circuit Court of Com. Pleas. for 1836 as per bill filed and certified by said Sheriff

Other issued Sept 6. 1836

And that Isaac Brandt be allowed the sum of Ten Dollars for attending Court of Com. Pleas— Aug Term 1836 five days — Also for attending Court of Com. Pleas Three days at Sept Term A.D. 1836 as per bill filed and certified by said Brandt.

Sept 6 1836

Ordered That C. L. Hill be allowed the sum of Forty & 5/100 and 15/100 Dollars for books and Stationery furnished County as per bill filed. No 2.

September Term. A.D. 1836

Ordered that Mary Crouse be allowed the sum of fifty cents for assisting in laying Shroud for J. Talgman as per bill filed and certified by J. A. Lyon

And that Mary Clouser be allowed the sum of fifty cents for assisting in making Shroud for J. Talgman as per bill filed and certified by J. A. Lyon.

And that Peter Symonds be allowed the sum of Three Dollars for 600 Brick furnished Poor house as per bill filed and certified by J. A. Lyon.

And that Phillip Gruber be allowed the sum of two dollars for building oven (and furnishing same) for pour house as per bill filed by J. A. Lyon.

The following accounts have been allowed in addition to the above for the use of Poor House as follows to wit:

	C. Weaver	for flower & Sundries	$3.90
	J. & R. Ettinger	for Coffin for Sentzinger	7.00
	Ph. Shultz	" Pickled Pork	2.06
	John Shull	" Use of Waggon 2 days	50
	Elizabeth Clouser	" Work at pour House	6.93
	Michael Shultz	" Lath for Poor House	7.21
"	"	George Woggoner for Groceries for pour	5.01
"	"	Thomas Cooney " Blacksmithing	4.00
	Christ Shrader	" Jacob Sattelmans pors	0.50
	Stehle & Wolf	" Goods & Sundries	14.83
	Cyrus Pyle	" Work on Poor House (wo. & 2 hs)	3.50
	Moses Lockwood	" Hauling Lime from Mt Wagon	62
"	"	John Detmers " For Lumber	9.25
	Frederick Henry	" " "	1.05
	J. D. Davis	" goods (Handcuffs)	6.78
	Michael Long	" Meat (Beef, Pork & Pork bbl)	10.15
	Jacob Keller	" Goods	52.96

Ordered that Isaac Brandt be allowed the sum of Forty and 53/100 Dollars for goods furnished Jail and Court House as per bill filed and certified by said Brandt

Ordered that John Davis be allowed the sum of Five Dollars for mooring paupers to Poor House as per bill filed and certified by Justices of Union Twp.

September Term A.D. 1836

Ordered that C. Deaver be allowed Thirteen & 00/100 goods furnished poor farm, (and Co. Buildings as cash advanced) as per bill filed and certified by Sheriff Brandt.

Ordered that J. A. Lyon be allowed the sum of Forty three & 10/100 Dollars for services as superintendant of Count Asylum for quarter ending September 1. 1836. in part

And that J. A. Lyon be allowed the sum of Twenty five dollars for cash advanced to poor farm. for quarter ending as. above. which is ~~to be~~ the amount allowed said Lyon for said quarter, including the $43.10 recorded above

Ordered that M. Deaver be allowed the sum of Seven and 11/100 Dollars for services as Co. Auditor at present term of Board. Commissioners, as per bill filed

Ordered that the sum of One Hundred Dollars be and is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of a Bridge across Cedar Creek at Fansler's Mills; where the State Road leading from Auburn to Michigan. crosses said Creek. to be expended under the supervision of Joel E Thomson and not to be drawn for until said Bridge is completed. —and it is further ordered that the appointment made at the June Term of said Board. of Jones Mc Andeffer as superintendent of said Bridge, and the same is hereby annulled.

Ordered that Isaac Brandt be allowed the sum of Eight four & 75/100 Dollars for boarding prisoners and committing prisoners to jail as per bill filed and certified to.

Ordered that J. A. Lyon be allowed the sum of Twenty Eight Dollars. it being a balance on con. of Executions Dollars and Eleven Dollars for Stone & Lime. as per bill filed and certified to.

Ordered that Solomon D. Long. Joel E. Thomson and James M. Gaylord be each allowed the sum of Nine Dollars for services as Commissioners at this Term.

And the Board adjourned to meet on the first Monday of December 1836

John D. Long
Joel E. Thomson
J. M. Gaylord

Vacation between September & December Sessions 1856

Be it remembered, That on this 24th day of October A.D. 1856 I. M. F. Pierce, Auditor in and for DeKalb County, made distribution of the Books, forwarded by Dr. Ely & Co. for the State Superintendent of Public Instruction of Indiana, for the use of the several Townships of DeKalb County, and the said Books were distributed in accordance with the directions given me said Superintendent, to wit:

do	1	Butler	Township	the first	15	Classes
"	2	Jackson	"	" "	18	"
"	3	Concord	"	" "	26	"
"	4	Newville	"	" "	13	"
"	5	Stafford	"	" "	9	"
"	6	Wilmington	"	" "	33	"
"	7	Union	"	" "	27	"
"	8	Richland	"	" "	19	"
"	9	Fairfield	"	" "	17	"
"	10	Smithfield	"	" "	19	"
"	11	Franklin	"	" "	20	"
"	12	Troy	"	" "	10	"

And be it further remembered that the following books forwarded by said Superintendent are not included in Bills sent by said Superintendent to wit:

6 vols. Chambers Repository,
2 copies Vol. 3 McCauley's History of Eng.
8 vols. Sparks American Biographies
1 Copy. My Schools & School Masters
1 " Millers First Impressions
1 " Teacher & Parent
1 " Cooper's Naval History
1 " Dicks Sober System
12 vols. Lippincotts Cabinet Pictures
2 " Success in Life
1 copy Abercombies Moral Feelings
1 " Baynes Christian Life
1 " The Great Temptations
1 " Science of Government
1 " Merchant Vessel
1 " Mothers of the West & Govt

And be it further remembered the charges for transportation on Books before mentioned were Fourteen Dollars and Eighty cents which amount was paid by the Treasurer of DeKalb County, out of the Treasury of said County

M. F. Pierce. Aud. of DeKalb Co

November Special Session A.D. 1855

The annual record is now of more first Monday in Feb. 1856

Pursuant to a notice issued by the Auditor of DeKalb County, the Board of Commissioners in and for said County, met at the Court House in said County, on Friday the 9th day of November A.D. 1855. the hour being 10 O'clock of said day, to hear the evidence and decide in a case of Contested Election. Wherein Samuel Shutt is Contestor and John A. Chellis is Contestee, Present Their Hons. Solomon DeLong Joel E. Thomson, & James McGotschins Present also M.F. Rice Auditor of said County, and Clerk of said Board. and Isaac Brandt. Sheriff of said County.

The Board having organized proceeded as follows

Samuel Shutt vs. John A Chellis — Contested Election

The above cause being called Samuel Shutt by his attorney R.J. Dawson now made a motion that the cause be continued on the grounds that Joel E. Thomson was not a legal commissioner, and that two commissioners were not qualified to decide on said case. The said Solomon DeLong and James McGotschins then retired refusing they had no power to act as a Board of commissioners, in said case

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November Special Session A.D. 1856

The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County having been duly notified by the Auditor of said county, met at the Court House in said County on the 7th day of November A.D. 1856, Present Solomon DeLong & James McGotschins. Samuel H. Ralston, the person elected to the office of Sheriff, Jeremiah Plum the person elected to the office of Coroner Now presents their official bonds for the consideration of the Board, and upon due consideration the Board approve of said Bonds and the said Board also approve of the bond of Daniel W. Allenberg who has been elected to the office of County Surveyor.

and the Board adjourned,

Solm DeLong
James McGotschins
} Commissioners

November Special Session. A.D. A.D. 1865

Pursuant to a notice ~~to~~ issued by the Judge of DeKalb County, the Board of Commissioners in and for said County met at the Court House in said County on Friday the 17th day of November A.D. 1865. at 10 o'clock A.M. said day being for the purpose of hearing evidence and deciding in a summary manner upon petition of Peter Hess and Solomon Fisher praying for a Mill Seat on Shoal Creek in said County. Present the Hon. Solomon Fisher Chairman of said Board of Commissioners of said County, Present also the Hon. Andrew Hall Auditor of said County, also present Thomas Brandt Clerk of said Board. And Isaac Brandt Sheriff of said County.

The Board after organizing said Court

Vacation. Between September & December Terms 1835

Be it remembered that on this 8th day of November A.D. 1835 Isaac Rittner, the person elected to the office of Township Assessor of Union Township, presented to me his official Bond signed by the said Isaac Rittner, John Brandon and Jeremiah Plum, the said Bond being satisfactory to me I approved the same, and administered to the said Rittner the Oath of Office according to law.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 8th day November aforesaid. M. F. Pierce Auditor {L.S.}

Be it remembered that on this 13th day of November A.D. 1835 Joseph Watter, the person elected to the office of Township Assessor of Jackson Township, presented to me his official Bond signed by the said Joseph Watter and John Coy, and the said Bond and Sureties being satisfactory to me I approved the same, and administered to the said Watter the oath of office as required by law.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year above mentioned.

M. F. Pierce Auditor {L.S.}
Pickaway County

Be it remembered that on the 9th day of November

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December Term A. D. 1855

The Board of Commissioners in and for DeKalb County, in pursuance of Law, met at the Court House in said County on Monday, the 1st day of December A.D. 1856 Present Their Honors Solomon D. Long, Commissioner of said County, Lines N. Gretschius and Jeremiah Plum Present also, M. J. Price Auditor of said County and Clerk of said Board, and A. M. Ralston Sheriff of said County.

On motion Solomon D. Long was elected Chairman of said Board.

The Board having organized, they proceed to business:

Ordered That Jeremiah Plum be allowed the sum of One and 25/100 Dollars for serving notice on Joel E. Thomson (Commissioner) to appear at the extra session of the Board of Commissioners in November 1855 as per bill filed and certified by Auditor of said County.

No. 258 Dec. 4, 1856

Ordered that A. C. Mead be allowed the sum of Two Dollars for services carrying a Lunatic to County Asylum, as per bill filed and certified by Trustee of Richland Township

Dec. 4, 1856

Ordered That Dennis Coffee be allowed the sum of One and 5/100 Dollars for boarding 2 Lunatics, three Days as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Richland Township

No. 267 Dec. 5, 56

And that Dennis Coffee be allowed the sum of Eighteen Dollars for boarding Michal Quin and Patrick Gittman, (County charges) as per bill filed and certified to by trustee of Richland township. (Orders to be drawn)

No. 268, 269, 270 Dec. 5, 56

Ordered That Johnathan Hall, be, and he is hereby appointed a constable in and for Union Township, said county, and that the Auditor notify said Hall of said appointment

Dec. 5, 1856

Ordered That James A Chamberlain be allowed the sum of Two Hundred Dollars for services as Physician to county Asylum for quarter ending December 1st 1856 as per bill filed and sworn to.

No. 271 Dec. 5, 1856

Ordered That Lyman Closey be allowed the sum of Five Dollars and Fifty cents for services as superintendent of Bridge as per bill filed and certified to. The commissioners having knowledge of said case

No. 272, 273, 274 Dec. 5, 1856

And the Board adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Solomon Delong
N. Gretschius
Jeremiah Plumbaut

December Term. A.D. 1835

Tuesday. morning 8 o'clock. The Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present the same as yesterday. The Board being organized proceeded to business. as follows:

Ordered That Isaac Brandt be allowed the sum of Seven & 00/100 Dollars for services as Sheriff. serving Venire for Grand jurors for December Term A.D. 1835. as per bill filed and certified to.

And that Isaac Brandt be allowed the sum of Forty five & 40/100 Dollars for serving notices to Road viewers (Dwight Hibbs) for posting up Election notices. for attending Court of Com Pleas. &c. as per bill No. 143. filed and certified to.

And that Isaac Brandt be allowed the sum of Six & 25/100 Dollars. for serving summons on jurors for October Term A.D. 1835 of Court of Common Pleas. as per bill filed and certified to by said Brandt.

And that Isaac Brandt be allowed the sum of Six & 00/100 Dollars for serving Venire for Petit jurors for DeKalb County Circuit Court for 1836 as per bill filed and certified to by said Brandt.

And that Isaac Brandt be allowed the sum of Five hundred & fifty three & 00/100 Dollars for boarding Prisoners and for goods and furniture furnished County prison as per bill filed and certified by said Brandt.

Ordered That A. P. Espy be allowed the sum of Three & 00/100 Dollars. for cash advanced on Road Receipts for John N. Miller and Geo. Daily. of Butler Township. DeKalb County. by A. P. Espy. as per bill filed and certified by Treasurer of said county.

Ordered that Isaac Brandt be allowed the sum of seven & 85/100 dollars for goods furnished Poor Asylum as per bill filed & certified by Asst. Byers

Ordered That J. B. Ward be allowed the sum of One Dollar for services Heralding Cause & assisting in placing the same in office of Circuit Court of DeKalb County. as per bill filed and certified by Treasurer of said County.

December Term. A.D. 1885 (Con.)

No. 283 Dec. 2. 1885

Ordered that Frederick Kinney be allowed the sum of Three & 00/100 Dollars for hay furnished Poor farm. as per bill filed and certified by superintendent of said poor farm. (Refused.

No. 281 Dec 2. 1885

Ordered that Frederick Kinney be allowed the sum of One Dollar for lumber furnished Poor House as per bill filed and certified by superintendant of poor farm

[redacted]

Resigned Dec. 2. 1885

Isaac Brandt now presents his resignation of the offices of Agent for County Asseylum. Agent to keep in repair the Court House and Jail. Agent to keep in repair the several County Offices, and the Military arms of said County. and after due consideration the Board grant that said resignment shall be recorded.

No. 669 Dec 9. 86

The County Treasurer now presents a list of Receipts from the County agent for the sum of One hundred and seventy two & 00/100 Dollars; and the Board Order that said amount be allowed the said county treasurer, and the same be deducted from the Treasurers account at the next annual settlement of said treasurer with said Board

No. 275 Dec. 5. 1885

Ordered that Isaac Brandt be allowed the sum of Ten Dollars for purchasing articles for Poor Asseylum and clearing and placing out funds from June Session 1885 to December session 1885. as per bills filed and certified to by Isaac Brandt Agent for County Asylum

No 287 Dec 6 1885

Ordered that Samuel Sanders be allowed the sum of Two & 50/100 Dollars for grass furnished to prisoners in Co Jail as per bill filed and certified by Sheriff Brandt.

Issued

Ordered that H. C. McConigal be allowed the following amounts as follows, to wit:

No 235. 241 Dec 4 1885 Dec 4 1885 No 211. 217 No 242. 243 No 333. 334 No 335. 336 Dec 9. 86 313 & 312

For printing Poll Books and Tally papers for State and Pres Elec. per bill filed	2.00
" " 5 quires Notification Blanks for Clerk	2.50
" " 200 " Warrants " for 1886. ($40.00 ℔)	100.00
" " Delinquent List for 1885	10.00
	296.50

No 280 Dec 9 1885

Ordered that E. D. Parker (Co Treasurer) be allowed the sum of One & 20/100 Dollars for cash paid to Frank Allenbaugh & Henry Brown for mileage and attending in Courts of pleas in State cases as per bill filed and certified by said Parker.

December Term A. D. 1865.

No 357 Dec 9 65

Ordered That Jn Crimmins be allowed the sum of Sixteen & 0/100 Dollars for wood, Glass, putty and chairs for Members Office, and putting up Counter Screens and Members Office as per bill filed and sworn to by said Crimmins"

No 351 Dec 9 65

Ordered That E M Fosdick be allowed the sum of Sixteen & 00/100 Dollars for cash advanced for One Box of Candles, Gun, candlestick Painting Door for Office Box of Matches, and One Coat pay, as per bill filed and certified to.

No 306 Dec 6 65

Ordered That D. A Campbell be allowed the sum of Three & 5/100 Dollars for work on prison Cell Doors, as per Bill filed and certified by Sheff Brandt.

No 227 Dec 2 1865

Ordered That E Hutchins be allowed the sum of Six & 44/100 Dollars for lumber furnished Bridges, as per bill filed and sworn to by said Hutchins

Dec 9 65

Ordered That N M Deland be allowed the sum of Twelve Dollars for services as constable in arresting Eldon Bulger and Charles Farrel, criminals as per bills filed and sworn to by said Deland.

No 362 Dec 9 65

Ordered That E M. Fosdick be allowed the sum of Twenty six and 41/100 for receiving and paying out funds as County Treasurer. as per bill filed and certified to by said Fosdick

No 363 Dec 9 65

And That E M Fosdick be allowed the sum of Twelve & 84/100 Dollars for Interest paid on County Orders, as per bill filed and certified to by said Fosdick

No 244 245 Dec 8 65

Ordered That Thomas Wilson be allowed the sum of Ten Dollars for putting bars on outside door of prison, and securing Cell Doors in prison as per bill filed and certified to by Sheriff of said County.

Dec 1865

Ordered J. M Lyon be allowed the sum of Sixty Eight & 15/100 Dollars for services as superintendent of County Asylum, for quarter ending December 1st A D 1865. (fifteen dollars to be a preferred order) as per bill filed and certified by said Lyon and the board adjourned.

N. M. Deland
Clerk Pro Tem
Jeremiah Hunstock

October Term A.D. 1856.

Wednesday morning Oct. 3rd A.D. 1856. Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present the same as yesterday.

Dwight Moody, the person appointed by the Board of Commissioners at September session, A.D. 1856 of said County, to act in conjunction with A. Metzger, the person appointed by the Commissioners of Allen County, to view said ~~Road~~ road and present his report as such viewer, which in words and figures is as follows, and which, on due consideration of the Board, the same is ordered to be recorded.

Springfield Oct 6th 1856.

We the undersigned Commissioners appointed by the Commissioners of Allen and DeKalb County do hereby certify that after being duly sworn we have viewed a proposed highway described as follows, to wit: Commencing where the county line running between the counties of Allen and DeKalb when it crosses the road running from Hicksville to Fort Wayne, thence west until it strikes the Pleasantville and Leipsic road, distance about five and one-half miles, and twenty feet on each side of the said county line or forty feet wide as the said Commissioners do recommend that the prayer of the said petition be granted.

Dwight Moody } Commissioners
A. Metzger

Ordered that John S Peck be allowed the sum of three and 50/00 Dollars for Services in Case of State of Ind vs Coleman Jones and Ruben Johnson as per Bill filed and certified to

Allowed Law 5-1854

And also in Case of State of Ind vs Lucien Gordon the Amount of Five and 50/00 Dollars as per Bill filed and certified to

And Also in Case of State of Ind and Franklin Hines the sum of Five and 50/00 as per Bill filed and certified to

And Also in Case of State of Ind vs Samuel Storger the Amount of One and 50/00 as per Bill filed and Certified to.

And also in Case of State of Ind vs Jacob Snider the Amount of Seven and 00/00 as per Bill filed and certified to

Ordered that James M. Bumagin be Allowed the sum of Forty One Dollars for publishing Notice to Electors and hand Bills on the same subject &c. &c. for publishing Notice for Election Poles and Boards Handbills for same &c. Printing hand bills for the session of Commissioners &c. as per Bill filed and certified to

No 235 Oct. 5. 1856

Ordered that Jesse Nicholson be allowed the sum of Seven Dollars for Three days Service as Viewer of Road in Richland Township as per Bill filed and certified to by two of

No 145 Oct. 6. 1856

December Term A.D. 1835

Ordered that James Murphey be allowed the sum of Twenty nine and 50/100 Dollars for boarding Patrick Fitzpatrick and for boarding and attendance on John Kenney as per bill filed and certified by Trustees of Richland Township

Ordered that J.A. Davis be allowed the sum of One and 40/100 Dollars for candlesticks, snuffers, Match safe and Broom for Auditors Office, as per bill filed and certified by Auditor of said County

Ordered that J.A. Davis be allowed the sum of One & 24/100 Dollars, for 4th Bucket & one Shovel & tongs for Treasurers Office as per bill filed and certified by Treasurer of said County.

Ordered that J.R. Gamin be allowed the sum of Twenty one & 00/100 Dollars for medical service and attention to Selina, Kinney & Gittmen (as paupers) as per bill filed and certified by Trustees of Richland Township

Ordered that B.G. Curel be allowed the sum of Eleven Dollars for medical service and attention to two County paupers, as per bill filed and certified by Trustees of Richland Township

Ordered that S.N. Spratt be allowed the sum of Twenty five Dollars for extra services as Clerk as per bill filed and certified to by said Spratt for quarter ending Dec. 14th 1835

Ordered that J.A. Davis be allowed the sum of Two & 50/100 Dollars for padlocks and candlesticks for Jail and for repairing stove pipe in Jail as per bill filed and certified to by S.N. Ruston

Ordered that S.N. Ruston be allowed the sum of Twenty three and 62½/100 Dollars for boarding Wm Brunk one of the Grand Jurors Wm Austin and guard summoning Jurors, Bailiff of the Grand Jurors, and furnishing writs as per Bill filed and certified to

January Term A.D. 1837

Ordered that the following Bills be Allowed Clerk Judge making returns of Elections as follows to wit &c. to Sheriff Justices and Constables to the Clerk of County

April Election 1836

No. 4	Jan. 3 1837	Butler Township	William Cox	one Day	$ 1.00
" 4	"	Franklin "	Andrew Baxter	" "	1.00
" 4	"	Clairtown "	G.W.A. Smith	" "	1.00
" 4	"	Millington "	P.B. Simmons	" "	1.00
No. 367		Butler "	John Shue	" "	1.00
Jan. 3. 1837		Union "	Joseph Cuppy	" "	1.00

October Election 1836

No. 457					
Jan. 6 1837		Butler "	John D. Kenann	one Day	1.00
[illegible]		Jackson "	George Smith	" "	1.00
[illegible]		Concord "	Joseph E. Dilling	" "	1.00
No. 4	Jan. 3	Newark "	Nathan S. Simm	" "	1.00
No. 4	"	Clifford "	John M. Roy	" "	1.00
No. 443					
Dec. 29 1836		Millington "	Isaac Vore	" "	1.00
No. 4					
Jan. 3. 1837		Union "	Joseph Cuppy	" "	1.00
[illegible]		Richland "	H.J. Reed	" "	1.00
No. 4	Jan. 3	Daniels "	John C. Isley	" "	1.00
No. 4	"	Chesterfield "	William Cox	" "	1.00
No. 4	"	Lemuria "	Andrew Baxter	" "	1.00
No. 4	"	Knox "	Timothy Mc Clure	" "	1.00

November Presidential Election 1836

No. 457					
Jan. 6 1837		Butler Township	John D. Kenann	One Day	1.00
[illegible]		Jackson "	John Hoy	" "	1.00
[illegible]		Concord "	Joseph C. Dilling	" "	1.00
No. 4	Jan. 3	Newark "	John J. Murphy	" "	1.00
No. 4	"	Clifford "	John M. Roy	" "	1.00
No. 4	"	Millington "	Edgar Simmons	" "	1.00
No. 461					
Jan. 3. 1837		Union "	Jacob Cuppy	" "	1.00
No. 4	Jan. 3	Richland "	Washington Sears	" "	1.00
No. 4	"	Lemuria "	Samuel Miser	" "	1.00
No. 4	Jan. 3	Smithfield "	William Cox	" "	1.00
No. 4	"	Franklin "	Andrew Baxter	" "	1.00
No. 4	Jan. 3	Troy Mill "	William R. Emerson	" "	1.00

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Ordered that Wm. Spinwall be Allowed the sum of One Hundred and Eighty one and 9/100 Dollars as per Bill Clerk Grand Jurors Witnesses as per Bill filed and allowed to

In Account with Poor

Ordered that Mr. Dix be Allowed the Sum of Nineteen and 25/100 Dollars for Board and Coffins Boxes and Officers Attendance Freight on Books as per Bill filed and certified to

Ordered that Mr. Dix be Allowed the Sum of Twenty five Dollars for Coffin Boxes Burial Cloths as per Bill filed and certified to

Ordered that Mr. Dix be Allowed the Sum of One hundred and fifty Dollars for Nursing Certificate for 1857 as per Bill filed and certified to

Ordered that Mr. Dix be Allowed the Sum of Nineteen and 75/100 Dollars for Coffins for Poor Asylum Burial Cloths as per Bill filed and certified to by Supt

Ordered that Peter Simmons be Allowed the sum of Two and 50/100 Dollars for Coffin as per Bill filed and certified to by Supt

Ordered that C. H. Crouse be Allowed the Sum of One and 50/100 Dollars for Grocery for Poor Asylum as per Bill filed and certified to by Supt

Ordered that John Linnard as per Bill filed and can be Allowed the sum of Two and 50/100 Dollars for 2 days work on Poor Asylum as per Bill filed and certified to by Superintendent

Ordered that William Master be Allowed the Sum of Five and 25/100 Dollars for Coffins for Poor Asylum as per Bill filed and certified to by Supt

Ordered that Jorge Wiedt be Allowed the Sum of Fifty (8) cts. for cutting post for pauper as per Bill filed and certified to

Ordered that Daniel Shear be Allowed the Sum of Eighteen and 14/100 Dollars for Cutting and Splitting Poor Asylum as per Bill filed and certified to by Superintendent

Ordered that Philip Grube be Allowed the Sum of Two and 50/100 Dollars for Coffins Chimney and Furnishing Wood as per Bill filed and certified to by Superintendent

Ordered that Jorge Reed be Allowed the Sum of Eight cts for Wood for Poor Asylum as per Bill filed and certified to by Supt

Ordered that C. Smith be Allowed the Sum of Five and 75/100 Dollars for Coffins as per Bill filed and certified to by Supt

Ordered that J. Hilton be Allowed the Sum of Three and 75/100 Dollars for Coffins as per Bill filed and certified to by Supt

Examiners Office 1st Sess

Ordered that Nathan Davis be allowed the sum of Two Hundred Dollars for Four Months service in Bill filed and certified to by Examiners of

Ordered that Jacob Bird be allowed the sum of Two Hundred and Forty Dollars for Four Months service in Bill filed and certified to by Supt

Ordered that Elias Wilson be allowed the sum of Two Hundred Dollars for Four Months service in Bill filed and certified to by Supt

Ordered that Jacob Davis be allowed the sum of Two Hundred and Forty Dollars for Four Months service in Bill filed and certified to by Supt

Ordered that Henry Bell be allowed the sum of Two Hundred and Forty Dollars for Four Months service in Bill filed and certified to by Supt

Ordered that Thomas Bryan be allowed the sum of Three Hundred Dollars for Six Months service in Bill filed and certified to by Supt

Ordered that Samuel Linder be allowed the sum of Two Hundred and Forty Dollars for Four Months service in Bill filed and certified to by Supt

Ordered that Elizabeth Adams be allowed the Sum of Sixteen Dollars for Four Months Service in Bill filed and certified to by Supt

Ordered that Mary Brown be allowed the sum of Two Hundred and Forty Dollars for Four Months service in Bill filed and certified to by Supt

Ordered that Joseph Hall be allowed the sum of Eight Dollars for Eight Months service in Bill filed and certified to by Supt

Ordered that Mary Bell be allowed the sum of Seventy Five Cts for Two Months service in Bill filed and certified to by Supt

Ordered that J. Brown be allowed the sum of Seven Hundred Dollars for Seven Months service in Bill filed and certified to by Supt

Ordered that Thos. Allen be allowed the sum of Forty Dollars for Two Months service in Bill filed and certified to by Supt

December Term A Bird

No 265 Ordered that V. Weaver be Allowed the sum of twenty five dol-
Dec 8. 55 lars for Sickel ax for four Section as per Bill filed and certified to by Aud.

No 262 Ordered that V Weaver be All the sum of Five and 50/100
Dec. 8. 55 Dollars for Indian Flour ax Section as per Bill filed and certified to

Ordered that J. Bird be Allowed the sum of Seven and
No 263 50/100 Dollars for Inserting Library books and distributing the same and
for boxes to be drawn out of the Library tax as per Bill
Filed and certified to by Auditor.

Ordered that J. D. Pierce be Allowed the sum of Eighty four
and 50/100 Dollars for Issuing Registering Journalising 250 Orders and Issuing
250 receipts Filling papers Issuing certificate Approving Bonds for Assessor
Issuing the same making out Abstract of Assessments Filling receipts
" quetions for receipts as per Bill Filed and certified to

No 349 Ordered that J D Davis be Allowed the sum of sixteen
257 and 15/100 Dollars for Stoves, pipe, candle, sticks, Sprinkler, broom,
Dec 8 55 and cash, as per Bill filed and certified to.

To the Honorable Board of Co Commissions of Dallas
I hereby report that the Bridge Crossing Little creek on
the on the Farm of Robert Mark is completed received and paid
for
Decem 8. 1855. Robert Mark Superintendent

Ordered that Robert mark be Allowed the sum
Nos 406.407 of Eighteen and 50/100 Dollar for taking out Drift wood mark on
& 408 butments of Bridge and superintending building of Bridge as per
Dec 8 1855 Bill filed

And the board Journed to meet tomorrow
morning at 8 o Clock

John M. Dallas
J. C. Goldsborough
Jeremiah Hemstead

December Term A.D. 1855

Thursday Morning Dec 6th 1855 Board met pursuant to Adjournment. Present the same as yesterday

Ordered that John A McMiller be Allowed the sum
No 402 of Two Dollars for Bier Dogs for Asilum as per Bill filed and
Dec. 18 1855 certified to by Superintendent of Poor Asilum

Ordered that G W Slaten be Allowed the sum of
Issued Dec 16 1855 fifty cts for Cash Advanced for horse hire in going to Asilum
No 465 to cut coats as per Bill filed and certified to by P Burnett Superintendent

Ordered that Kelton and Shoemaker be Allowed
Issued the sum of One hundred Dollars for Arresting Prisoner and delivering
the same to Sheriff of Poor as per Bill filed and certified to by
Isaac Brandt Sheriff

Ordered that Shoemaker & Wilhelmin be
Allowed the Sum of [illegible] Dollars for Arresting Prisoner and
Issued Delivering the same to Sheriff of Poor as per Bill filed and certified
to by Isaac Brandt Sheriff

Ordered that A J Hunt be Allowed the sum
Issued Dec 19 56 of Two Dollars for Services as overseer of Poor as per Bill filed and
No 425 certified to by trustees of Richland township

Ordered that S. Kelton be Allowed the sum
Issued Dec 6 of Twenty One and 40/100 Dollars for Attending court and [illegible]
No. 295 present term as per Bill filed and certified to by S W Kelton Shff

Ordered that A C Espy be Allowed the sum of One
and 35/100 Dollars in Case of State of Ind vs [illegible]
And Also in the case of State of Ind vs E Espy [illegible]
" " " " " " Robert Ryer [illegible]
No 261 Dollars as per Bill filed and certified to by J W [illegible] J P
Dec 5, 1855

Ordered that A C Espy be Allowed the sum of
Four and 15/100 Dollars as per in Case of State of Ind and [illegible]
[illegible] and Patrick Tuity as per Bill filed and certified to by
J D Davis justice of the peace

Ordered that William Vallew be Allowed
No 32 the Sum of Seventy [illegible] Dollars in case of State of Indiana
Dec 3, 1855 and [illegible] as per Bill filed and certified to by [illegible]

R J Dawson now presents his report of a bridge across the
St Joseph of which he was appointed superintendent of said the
following to wit and on due consideration of the board
the same is Ordered to be recorded

December Term A. D. 1858

State of Ind. } The undersigned Superintendent of the bridge across the St Joseph River near Mishawaka, would respectfully report to your honorable Board, that at the December Term A. D. 1857 of your Board, the sum of Two Hundred Dollars was appropriated for the purpose of repairing said bridge, and that the same was duly drawn from the Treasury of this County, and that the work has been completed, and the bridge is now in good repair, and that there remains in my hands the sum of Fifty Dollars of the money so appropriated, which I am ready to account for to your Board. All of which is submitted

December 4th 1858. H. J. Dawson

Ordered that H. J. Dawson be allowed the sum of Fifty Dollars for superintending Bridge as per Bill filed

Ordered that Sheets & Braden be allowed the sum of Seventeen and 10/100 Dollars for Stationary as per Bill filed

Ordered that E. B. Mat be allowed the sum of Five Dollars for stove for Treasurers Office as purchased by Com.

Ordered that S. M. Ralston Sheriff be and is hereby appointed and is not for the Commissioners of Estate Laurel, to contract with the County Asylum, for the Count Poor and Laurel paid at the County Office, and the public Arms, and that he is hereby directed to keep in repair the same, and to make report to the Board of Commissioners when required by them to do so.

Ordered that there be Appropriated Seven hundred Dollars for the purpose of Constructing a Bridge across the St Joseph River at Mishawaka on the Road leading from Mishawaka to Lincoln to be expended under the supervision of Solomon Decamp and Henry Beckman, that no Draw until the Bridge is completed

Ordered that H. Dawson be allowed the sum of Nine and 20/100 Dollars for Services at present term as per Bill filed and Certificate of the Judge thereof

Ordered that Solomon Decamp and James M. Chadwick be allowed the sum of Three Dollars each for attending Board of Co Comm at December Special Session 1858

December Term A.D. 1855

Ordered that Solomon Zeltner Comm. Sheriff be Jarmish Treasurer be allowed the sum of twelve Dollars each for Jurors at present term

From Helvy
P.C.C. Gettysburg
Jarmish Treasurer

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March Term A. D. 1857

Monday March 2nd A.D. 1857

The Board of Commissioners in and for DeKalb County, in pursuance of law met at the Court House in said county at 9 o'clock. Present Their Hon. Solomon DeFoor, James M. Gotcheins and Jeremiah Winstead, Commissioners for said county; present also W. H. Pierce, Meditor of said County and Clerk of said board and A. M. Patillo Sheriff of said County.

And the Board proceeded to business:

No. Amt
867 $10.00
869 11.00

Ordered that Isaac Jackman be allowed the sum of Twenty two Dollars for keeping Thomas Hodnett a county charge as per bill filed and certified to by trustees of Smithfield Township

No. Amt
870 $9.25
7.75

And that Eleazer Wallace be allowed the sum of Nine and 25/100 Dollars for repairing prison doors and finding glass and setting the same in prison Windows as per bill filed and certified to by Co. Agent

No. Amt.
862 $6.00
863 3.00
864 3.63
$12.63
March 6. 1857

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of Twelve & 63/100 Dollars for Medical attention rendered Co. paupers at Co. Asylum as per bill filed and sworn to

No. Amt
861. $3.25

Ordered that Charles Stimely be allowed the sum of Three & 25/100 Dollars for repairing locks on treasurers office and Co. prison as per bill filed and certified to

No. Amt
872 $5.00

Ordered that J. H. Ford be allowed the sum of Five dollars for medical attention to William Johnson a Co. pauper as per bill filed and certified by trustees of Jackson Twp

No. Amt
873. $5.00

Ordered that John Coy be allowed the sum of Five Dollars for boarding and tending one of William Johnson a Co. pauper as per bill filed and certified by trustees of Jackson Twp

No. Amt
874. $2.00

Ordered that Washington Chester be allowed the sum of Two Dollars as overseer of Roads under bill filed and certified to by trustees of Richland Township

March Term A. D. 1857

Ordered that [illegible] be allowed the sum of Four Dollars for medical aid to Mrs. Stevens as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Richland Township

Ordered that Dwight Moody be allowed the sum of One & 99/100 Dollars for services viewing a road on the County line between the Counties of Allen also Dekalb commencing at the State Line and running west five miles as per bill filed and certified to

Ordered that J. D. Davis be allowed the sum of One & 82/100 Dollars for Ash Buckets & Door Lock for Auditors Office as per bill filed and certified by Auditor of said Co.

And that J. D. Davis be allowed the sum of One & 63/100 Dollars for Ash Buckets and Door Lock for Court House as per bill filed and certified by Wm. Ralston Sheff

And that J. D. Davis be allowed the sum of 94/100 Dollars for stove pipe and thimbles for treasurers office as per bill filed and certified by Treasurer of said Co.

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at eight o'clock.

John Young
T. M. Goetschius
Dominick Armstrong

Court June Term 1857

Ordered that Warrants issued 3rd A.D. 1857 Board this pursuant to Appointment present the same as yesterday.

Ordered that J. Richardson be allowed the sum of ten Dollars for printing for county as per bill filed and sworn to

Ordered that Lucas Smith be allowed the sum of Five Dollars for book case for clerk as per Bill filed and certified to by clerk of said county

Ordered that Wm Trott be allowed the sum of Twenty five Dollars for sixty days for ensuing March. 1857

Ordered that James R Cooper be allowed the sum of One & 25/100 Dollars for one days attendance as per bill filed and certified to

Ordered that Joseph M. Robins be allowed the sum of Ten and 50/100 Dollars for wood furnished to clerk as per Bill filed and certified to By clerk of County

Ordered that Geo. Beard be allowed the sum of ~~Seven~~ Dollars for coffin for Pauper as per bill filed and certified to by trustee of Richland Twp

Ordered that John M Miller be allowed the sum of Seven Dollars for Boarding for jail as per Bill filed and certified to by Sheriff

Ordered that Jonas Dawson be allowed the sum of Four Dollars for order No. 8146 which is lost as per affidavit of said Dawson,

Ordered that William Sellers be allowed the sum of Two Dollars for repairing Locks on Auditors office as per bill filed and certified to by the Auditor of said County.

Ordered that James Murphey be allowed the sum of Forty one Dollars for keeping John Kenny and Patrick Fitzpatrick County charges as per bill filed and certified by Trustee of Richland Twp

March Term A.D. 1837

~~And the Board adjourned to meet tomorrow morning~~
~~at 8 o'clock~~

The Board of Commissioners now proceeded to select twelve suitable persons to serve as Grand Jurors at the May term of the Circuit Court of Delaware County, and having selected the names of twelve persons from the last Duplicate of 1835, which persons possess the requisite qualifications, and whose names were written on separate tickets, and placed in a hat, for the Clerk of the Circuit Court in the presence of the Board, drew from said hat the following persons to serve as Jurors at the said May Term of said Circuit Court, to wit:

Robert Work	Butler Twp	John Davis	Union Twp
John Cox	Jackson "	James Black	Wilmington " Richland
Johnathan Boyd	Concord "	Abram Buss	Fairfield
Ezra Fuhrman	Berlin "	John McClure	Smithfield
James Martin	Stafford	Miles Waterman	Franklin
Henry Finney	Wilmington	Benjamin Wallick	Troy

Certificate drawn by Clerk of Delaware Co. March 6th 1837

And in like manner twelve men were selected to serve as Grand Jurors for November Term 1837 to wit:

Orrin C. Church	Berlin	John Summers	Union
Harmon Parsons	Jackson	Daniel Sink	Richland
Samuel Sidney	Concord	Jacob Helwig	Fairfield
A.M. Blood	Berlin	Joel E Thomson	Smithfield
Frederick Huffman	Stafford	Thomas H Mooney	Franklin
J.B. Goldsmith	Wilmington	John A Zimmerman	Troy

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Lot Summ Helwig
S. C. Goldsmith
Jere Wickham Hemstreet

Wednesday morning March 8th 1837 Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

Ordered that Josias Hess be allowed the sum of twenty five & 50/100 Dollars for medical services rendered Thomas Hodkins, a county charge, as per bill filed and certified by Trustee of Smithfield Township

March Term A. D. 185[illegible]

Ordered that [illegible] be allowed the sum of [illegible] Dollars for services and laying out a road as per bill filed

Ordered that Nicholas Linnimond be allowed the sum of Eight and 12/ Dollars for wood furnished Asylum and services as per bill filed and certified to by C. Griswold

The following accounts properly vouched for by J.N. Lyon Superintendent of County Asylum were now presented and on due consideration of the Board were allowed as follows to wit:

		E. Bowers	for	groceries	for	County Asylum	$5.33 Cts
		James Reynolds	"	Flour	"	"	1.65 "
		Isaac Brandt	"	Boots & Shoes	"	Paupers	8.05 "
		N.P. Hurtes	"	Cows & Pigs	"	County Asylum	6.00 "
		W. Park	"	Groceries	"	"	9.73 "
		E. Bowers	"	"	"	"	38.21 "
		George Hageman	"	"	"	"	3.13 "
		S. Saunders	"	"	"	"	5.56 "
		R. Frost	"	Corn	"	"	2.25 "
		John Miller	"	Sugar Kettle	"	"	8.12 Com. order
		Geo. Ensley	"	Lumber	"	"	7.20 " "
		W. Park	"	Goods	"	"	11.52 " "
		C. F. Stahl	"	Cutting Coat	"	Pauper	8 " "
		S. Tenney	"	Blacksmithing	"	Asylum	5.44 " "
		Elizabeth Silence	"	Work	"	"	13.12 " "
		J. C. Davis	"	Tin Ware	"	"	5.09 " "
		E. Bowers	"	Goods	"	"	2.10 " "
		S. Saunders	"	Dry Goods	"	"	11.68 " "
		M. Shidler	"	Sled runners	"	"	1.00 " "

Ordered that J.N. Lyon be allowed the sum of Sixty Eight Dollars and Sixteen cents for services as superintendent of County Asylum as per bill filed and certified by said Lyon, and that Ten Dollars be a preferred order

Ordered That C. L. Hill be allowed the sum of Eighty four Dollars for Book Blanks and stationery furnished County as per bill filed

Ordered That John Bush be allowed the sum of Five & 60/100 Dollars for candles furnished County as per bill filed and certified to by Auditor of said County. (Rejected)

Ordered That E. W. Fosdick be allowed the sum of Five and 60/100 Dollars for cash advanced for Coal and Candles as per bill filed and certified to

Ordered That Lyman Chidney be allowed the sum of Three Dollars for removing drift wood from Bridge on Auburn and Spanishville Road near Auburn Grass yard as per bill filed and certified by said Chidney

Ordered That W. T. Pierce be allowed the sum of Seventy five Dollars for his services as Auditor for quarter ending March 1st 1867 as per bill filed and certified by said Pierce

Ordered That J. W. Ralston be allowed the sum of Seventy five Dollars for his services as Sheriff for quarter ending March 1st 1867 as per bill filed and certified by said Ralston

Ordered That W. T. Pierce be allowed Two hundred & fifty Dollars for services as County Auditor as per bill filed and certified to ~~That W~~

And That W. T. Pierce be allowed the sum of fifty dollars for cash advanced as per bill filed and certified to

Ordered That E. W. Fosdick be allowed the sum of Sixty One 50/100 Dollars fees for securing and paying out Felons as per bill filed and certified to

And That E. W. Fosdick be allowed the sum of Fifty two 79/100 Dollars for interest paid on Co. Orders as per bill filed and certified to

Ordered That Morton Black be allowed the sum of Eleven Dollars for arresting and bringing to Auburn Robert Hovey a person charged ~~with~~ passing Counterfeit Money as per bill filed and sworn to

March Term A.D. 1837

March 6 1837
No 02 $6.25
" 245 2.50
8.75

Ordered that N. Ralston be allowed the sum of Six Dollars for posting up notices of Election of Justices of the Peace as per bill filed and certified to

March 6 1837
348 $2.50
349 .75
350 3.00
351 2.62
352 1.28
$10.15

And that S.N. Ralston be allowed the sum of Ten & 15/100 Dollars for summonsing Jurors per January Term of Board of Common Pleas and for attending said Court as per bill filed and certified to

March 6 1837
No 3 $2.50
$2.50

And that N. Ralston be allowed One dollar for committing Dennis and Mary Coffee to Jail and Twenty one & 50/100 Dollars for Boarding prisoners and finding fuel and washing for prisoners as per bill filed and certified by said Ralston

March 6 1837
No 335 $2.90
$2.90

And that S. N. Ralston be allowed the sum of Twenty Two & 90/100 Dollars for committing Robert Kinney to Jail and for Boarding and washing for prisoners as per bill filed and certified to

March 6 1837
No 664 .70
.70

And that S N Ralston the sum of Seventy cents for serving Mandamus on Commissioners as per bill filed and certified to

March 6 1837
No 30 $5.00
5.00

And that S N Ralston be allowed the sum of ~~Six~~ Eight Dollars for attending Board of Commissioners three days as per bill filed and certified to

No Date
367 $4.00

Ordered that Wm. Hess be allowed the sum of four dollars for prosecuting Robert Kinney and Joseph Hall criminals as per bill filed and certified to

March 6 1837
No 30 $4.00
4.00

And that S. N. Ralston be allowed the sum of Four Dollars for arresting Joseph Hall a criminal as per bill filed and certified to.

And the Board adjourned to meet to morrow morning at 8 o'clock

Attest D Cloris
T. McCutcheon
Clerk

Union Term A.D. 185[illegible]

Thursday morning March 5th. 185[illegible] Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday.

Ordered that Thomas J. Graves be allowed the sum of Two & 15/100 Dollars for services as constable in case of State of Indiana vs. Joseph Hull as per bill filed and certified to by J. P. Sears

Ordered that Asa Overacker be allowed the sum of five dollars for services as constable in case of State of Indiana vs. Coleman Jones. as per bill filed and certified to

And that Asa Overacker be allowed the sum of Three dollars for services as Constable in case of State of Indiana vs. Franklin Hull. as per bill filed and certified to

Ordered that W.m T. Pierce be allowed the sum of Twenty seven & 15/100 Dollars for cash advanced for Wood. Candles. Broom Stationery &c. as per bill filed and sworn to certified to.

The Board now proceeded to appoint three suitable persons to serve as School Examiners for one year and after mature deliberation appointed the following persons to wit: Lewis D. Pattison R. Parrott and M.C. McGonigal

And the Board recommend that the above named appointed persons hold two public examinations during the year for which they are appointed at such times and places as a majority of said Examiners can agree upon.

Ordered that W.m T. Pierce be allowed the sum of Six and 50/100 Dollars for services rendered as Auditor during March session of Board of Commissioners as per bill filed and certified to.

Ordered that Solomon DeLong, James M. Gotschins and Jeremiah Hendricks be each allowed the sum of Twelve dollars for services as Commissioners at March Term 185[illegible]

And the Board adjourned.

Solom DeLong
J. M. Gotschins
Jeremiah Hendricks

Vacation between March & June 1857

Deed
Erastus White
to
United States
Patent
Recorded
March 7. 1857

Whereas Erastus White assignee of Ephraim White has paid the full sum of Four hundred Dollars in full for the East half of the North East quarter of section No Sixteen (16) in Township No. Thirty Three 33 North of Range No. Fourteen east in the County of DeKalb and State of Indiana containing ~~One~~ Eighty acres of land more or less

Now Know Ye, That for and in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the statutes in such case made and provided, that I, Milton S. Pierce, Auditor in and for said county of DeKalb, and State of Indiana for, and in the name of the Inhabitants of Congressional Township No. Thirty three 33 north of range No. fourteen (14) east. do give and grant the said East half of the North east quarter of said section Sixteen (16) to the said Erastus White, his heirs and assigns forever

Witness my hand and the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County, this 7th day of March A.D. 1857

Milton S. Pierce Auditor
DeKalb County

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Personally appeared before me Wm H. Dills a Notary Public in and for said county Milton S. Pierce Auditor of said County and acknowledged the execution of the above deed

March 7th A.D. 1857

Wm H. Dills
Notary Public

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Certificate
issued March 18
A.D. 1857

On this the 18th. day of March A.D. 1857 I appointed Andrew B. Duncan Assessor of Smithfield Township DeKalb County Ind. to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Cyrus Duncan; to serve until the October election in the year One thousand eight hundred and fifty eight, and until his successor is elected and qualified, & have issued and delivered unto the said Andrew B. Duncan a certificate of said appointment

Milton S. Pierce Auditor of
DeKalb County Ind

March Special Session A.D. 1887

Pursuant to the requirements of a writ of Mandamus issued by the Circuit Court of DeKalb County Ind. at the November session of the same A.D. 1886. Solomon DeLong and James M Gorlesheus two of the commissioners of said county, met at the Court House in said county on the 19th day of March A.D. 1887. and at the same time and place Jeremiah Hemstreet one of the commissioners of DeKalb County. in pursuance of a notice of a writ issued by the Auditor of said county, met and was included as one of said Board. for the purpose of disposing of a case of contested election. wherein Samuel Shutt is contestor and John A. Chellis contestee. Present their honors Solomon DeLong. James M. Gorlesheus and Jeremiah Hemstreet— present also M.F. Pierce Auditor of said county and S.N. Ralston sheriff of said county.

Samuel Shutt contestor
vs
John A. Chellis contestee

} Election of Assessor of Concord Township in said County at October Election 1886 Contested election.

The above case being called John A. Chellis. contestee in this case. by his Attorney made a motion that notice of the proceedings be dismissed on the grounds that a copy of the bill of specifications was not delivered to the contestee.—

R.J. Dawson, atty for contestor made a motion that Isaac Brandt be required to amend the return recorded on the copy of the bill of specifications and notice. to the contestee. The following affidavit was now introduced:

State of Indiana } ss
DeKalb County }
Samuel Shutt }
vs } Contested election
John A. Chellis }

Reuben J. Dawson attorney for the contestor sworn says that he believes the return on the notice to the contestee in the above case is incomplete. and asks the court now in session to direct Brandt, the former Sheriff and who serves the same to be permitted to make a return of the facts of service which Mr. Brandt being now in court is willing to do as this affidavit understands

Sworn to and subscribed in open court this 19th. day of March 1887

R.J. Dawson

Wm F. Pierce A.D.C.

The motion to dismiss the case was now overruled and the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Wm

Friday Morning, March 20th 1857

Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment to adjournment, present the same as yesterday.

The Board decided that a record should be made of the proceedings of the Board on the 7th day of November A.D. 1856. with reference to the case of contested, pending at this time.

John A. Cullis by one of his attorneys now demurred to the first specification in the original bill of specifications. on the grounds that the laws do not specify any particular form for casting lots. in case of a tie between two candidate for office.

The Court ovuled the demur.

The Attorneys for the contestee also demurred to the second part of the second statement on the grounds that the names of the persons voting illegally are not given in the bill of specifications.

Court sustained the demur

The Attorney for Contestor asked the privilege of amending the statement furnished to the contestee, by inserting in this statement which the court granted. The following words were then included — "to wit. one Frederick Carr who was at the time of said election under the age of twenty one years as he verily believes"

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at ten o'clock

Saturday. March 21st A.D. 1857

Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

The contestor proceeded with the examination of witnesses in this case

The contestor now asked to introduce the certificate of the judges of the election to the Auditor. setting forth. the number of votes cast for the candidates for Assessor of Concord Township at the October election 1856. The court decide. that the said certificate will be received as evidence. That the election of Assessor of said Township at said October election was decided by lot. and for no other purpose.

And

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Pursuant to the requirements of a writ of Mandamus issued by the Circuit Court of Pulaski County, Indiana, at the November session of same, A.D. 1856. Solomon DeLong & James McGotchius, two of the Commissioners of said County, met at the Court House in said County on the 19th day of March 1857, at one o'clock P.M. of said day; and at the same time and place, in pursuance of an order or notice issued by the Auditor of said County, appeared Jeremiah Hemsbrel, another of the Commissioners of said County, and was included as one of said board. Present their Hons. Solomon DeLong, James McGotchius and Jeremiah Hemsbrel, Commissioners of said County— Present also, M.F. Pierce Auditor of said County and Clerk of said Board, and S.W. Ratliff Sheriff of said County. The Board having organized, proceeded to hear the evidence and decide in a case of Contested Election, wherein Samuel L Shutt is Contestor and John A Chellis is Contestee— in the election of Assessor of Concord Township, said County.

Samuel Shutt
vs.
John A Chellis

Contested Election

Comes now the parties in this behalf by their Attorneys; and the Attorney for the Contestee, moves that this cause be dismissed, on the grounds that the contestee was not served with a copy a the Notice and Statement as required by law, (here insert) and after hearing the arguments of the Counsel, the Court refuse to dismiss the case

The Contestor by his Attorney moves that Isaac Brandt (who is now in Court) be required to amend the return recorded on the notice and statement he served on the contestee in this case, and thereupon the said Brandt (who was at the time of the service of notice & statement Sheriff of said County) was by the Court required to amend said return.

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Samuel Shutt Contestor
vs
John A Chellis Contestee

Contested Election from Concord Township, DeKalb County Indiana

On due notice by the Auditor of DeKalb County, Solomon DeLong, Joel E. Thompson and James M. Goetschius, Commissioners of DeKalb County aforesaid, met at the Court House in said County at 10 o'clock A.M. on the seventh day of November A.D. 1836 to try such contested election. Present the above named Commissioners, M.S. Pence, Auditor of said County and Clerk of the Board of Commissioners and ~~Isaac Simmons~~ Isaac Simmons Sheriff of said County

The case being called, John Morris Esqr. the Contestees attorney, moved, as a friend of the Court without stating his reasons therefor) to dismiss the case: upon which R.J. Dawson, contestors attorney suggested, that Joel E. Thomson, aforesaid was not a Commissioner of the County that he had been superceded by Jeremiah Hemstreet, who had been elected at the preceding October election; and upon ~~upon~~ examination by the attorneys on both sides, it was agreed between said attorneys that said Thomson was not a Commissioners. Thereupon Mr. Thomson retired from the bench and from all participation in the proceeding and trial of said case.

Thereupon R.J. Dawson Attorney for contestor, moved the Court to continue said cause upon the ground that the contestor had a legal right to have a full board, and that Hemstreet, the Commissioner elect had not been notified, which motion was resisted by contestees attorney, and during the pendency of said motion, the contestees attorney withdrew his motion to dismiss. Upon which, after hearing the argument of counsel on said motion to continue, DeLong decided that the remaining members of the Board, DeLong & Goetschius were a legal board — Goetschius, that they were not. They both then agreed and decided that they could not proceed with the case for want of Jurisdiction, and that the case must therefore drop, and thereupon left the bench. Upon assembling again in a few hours, R.J. Dawson, the contestors attorney, asked that a record be made of the proceedings of the Board in the said case as here stated, but deeming it inexpedient to do so when the Board had decided they had no jurisdiction, the said Board refused to make said record. The above record having been omitted at the time it took place, to be made, it is in obedience of the order of the Circuit Court made at its November session 1836, made now for then

Samuel Shutt
vs
John A. Chellis

Contested election in Concord Twp. DeKalb County Ind.

At the March session 1837 of the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County, held at the Court House in said County and on the 4th day of said session of said Board, present Solomon DeLong, James M. Goetschius & Jeremiah Hemstreet Commissioners, the mandate of the Circuit Court made at

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Novemb session of said Court in regard to the above case was served on D. Long and Gotschius which is in these words (here insert) and thereupon the commissioners aforesaid agreed and determined that they would on the 19th day of March 1837 at 10 o'clock P.M. of said day proceed to hear and determine said contested election. This entry having been omitted at the said March session, is now made for them.

Samuel Shutt
vs
John A. Cullen

Contested Election from Concord Twp Said County

On the 19th day of March A.D. 1837, at 1 o'clock P.M. the commissioners of DeKalb County, met in pursuance of the agreement made at the March session of the Board, to try the above case, present Solomon Doring, James M. Gotschius and Jeremiah Hemstreet commissioners, M.L. Pierce Auditor, and S.M. Ralston Sheriff of said County; due notice having been given to the parties, (which notice, statement and Sheriffs return are in these words, (here insert) and the case being called, John Morris Esq. the contestees attorney moves the court to dismiss the case because of the insufficiency of the service of the first notice and statement by sheriff Brandt. Whereupon the contestees attorney ~~files~~ upon affidavit files, moves the court for leave to ~~Sheriff~~ Brandt to amend his return, so as to conform to the facts, which last motion the Court grant and the return of Brandt amended. The contestees attorney then insisted upon his motion to dismiss for the cause aforesaid and after argument the court overruled said motion.

Whereupon the contestees Attorney files his demurr to the 1st specification and the last paragraph in the second specification of contestors statement which demurr is in these words, (here insert) upon which the contestor files his joinder, and after argument the court overrules the demurr to the first specification and sustain it to the last paragraph of the 2nd specification. Whereupon the contestors attorney asks and obtains leave to amend the said last part of second specification, which amendment is in these words (here insert) Whereupon the contestees Attorney files his answer to the contestors statement upon which the contestors attorney moves to strike out the first paragraph of said answer, which motion ~~was~~ the Board sustained. The contestee then files his repulications to the answer aforesaid, and which are in these words (here insert) and the issue being joined and the evidence in the case having been submitted and closed on both sides, the Court continues this case to Tuesday 24th March instant at 10 o'clock and the board adjourn to meet at the Court House at that time to hear the argument of the case.

John Long
Jeremiah Hemstreet
J. McC. Gotschius

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Samuel Shull
vs
John A. Chellis
Contested Election

March 24th 10 o'clock A. Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same officers as at the last adjournment. The case being called for argument the same was argued by all the Attorneys on both sides, after which the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock to give their decision in the case.

Wednesday Morning March 25th A.D. 1837 Board met pursuant to adjournment and being fully advised in the premises, after mature deliberation make the following decision. "That the said John A. Chellis was not legally elected Assessor of Concord Township or any other person "at October election in said Township A.D. 1836. and we declare "That a vacancy exist in the office of Township Assessor in "said Township at this time"

And the Board further decide that each party in this case shall pay their own cost

It is therefore ordered that the said John A. Chellis is not duly elected to the said office of Assessor and that said office is vacant and that each party pay their own cost.

Both parties now give notice of an appeal to the Circuit Court of Dekalb County

Ordered that Solomon D. Long, James M. Gorbschins and Jeremiah Hemstreet be each allowed the sum of Fifteen Dollars for services as Commissioners five days in the above case

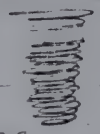
And that M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Six and 7/100 Dollars for services as Auditor at this Session

And that D. M. Railton be allowed the sum of seven and 50/100 Dollars for services as Sheriff at March Special session

And the Board adjourned

Solomon Delong
Jeremiah Hemstreet
J. M. Gorbschins

Samuel Shutt
vs
John A. Chellis



Contested Election

Fees in said Case

Witness Fees - Chelmsford =		No of Days	= Miles	
Louis Blair	Chellis	3	$3.25 = 12	Pd.
John R. Helmick		3	2.25 = 12	
Solomon Furman		3	2.25 = 12	
Andrew Carr		3	2.25 = 8	
E. Smith		3	2.25 = 10	
C. O. Hartnett		3	2.25 = 12	
Mun Carr		3	2.25 = 9	
J. F. Colburn	Chellis	3	2.25 = 15	pd
Asa Fletcher	Chellis	3	2.25 = 12	pd
David Landers	Chellis	3	2.25 = 12	Pd
John Carr		3	2.25 = 00	
Oscar Spitler	Chellis	3	2.25 = 13	pd
William Spitler	Chellis	3	2.25 = 13	pd
Joseph C. Shilling	Chellis	3	2.25 = 12	pd
Jacob Shutt		3	2.25 = 14	
Dennis Simons	Chellis	3	2.25 = 00	pd
Dragger		3	2.25 = 12	

Auditors Fees	
Filing Complaint	$0.05
Notice to Clerk & L.A.	.25
" " B. of Com.	.25
" " Contestee	.50
Copy of Statement	.25
Certificate & Seal to above	.50
Contestors Subpoena	.50
Contestees "	.50
Entering 4 motions	.40
Issue joined	.25
Administering 21 oaths 5¢	1.05
Three affidavits 25¢	.75
Entering Action	.06
Defendants appearance	.06
Subpoena for Helmick (on Contestee)	0.50
Entering appeal	0.20
" Judgement	.20

Sheriffs Fees

Serving Notice and Statement on Contestee	$0.30
Copy of Notice	0.25
Mileage	1.30
Return	0.10
Serving Subpoena on Contestees Witnesses	3.30
Mileage	1.50
Return	0.10
Serving Subpoena on Contestors Witnesses	1.20
Mileage	60
Return	10
Serving Notice on Samuel Shutt	0.30
Mileage	1.20
Return	0.10
Serving notice on Commissioner	0.30
Mileage	0.80
Return	0.10

Election between March & June Terms 1837.

Know ye that on this 31st day of March 1837 John N. Chellis presents to me a bond signed by the said John N. Chellis and E. H. Dickinson in the sum of two hundred dollars, to secure the payment of cost that may accrue here accrued and may accrue in a suit of contested election from Concord Township DeKalb County Ind. for the Office of Assessor of said Township at the October election 1836. The Commissioners of said County having decided on the 28th day of March 1837 and adjudged that there was no election for Assessor at said election, and the said John N. Chellis appeals from said decision of said Commissioners. and the bond was duly approved and signed by me the day first above mentioned

Witness my hand and seal this 31st day March 1837

M. F. Pierce Auditor
DeKalb Co

(SEAL)

Assignment of School Land
Benjamin Eatinghtt
to
G. W. Monroe
sw 1/4 of Sec 9
& 15 T 34 R 9 W 14 E.

For value received I hereby assign over to G. W. Monroe all my right title and interest to the North west quarter of the North east quarter of Section No Sixteen (16) Town Thirty Four (34) North of Range No fourteen (14) East as excepting the right of way of the Lake Erie & Wabash Rail Road. described in the within certificate

Benjamin Eatinghtt

State of Indiana
DeKalb County S.C.

Personally appeared before me Benjamin Eatinghtt the signer of the foregoing assignment and acknowledged that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Witness my hand this 23rd day of May A.D. 1837

M. F. Pierce Auditor
DeKalb Co

For Value received I Alonzo Lockwood do hereby sell and assygne and set over to Jacob Hampont all my right and title to within certificate and the lands therein described without recourse on me

March 8. 1838.

Alonzo Lockwood

State of Indiana
DeKalb County S.S.

Personally appeared before me Alonzo Lockwood and acknowledged the execution of the above assygnment - this 8th day of March 1838

Witness M. F. Pierce Aud

June Session A.D. 1857

Monday June 1st A.D. 1857

The Board of Commissioners in and for Pitt Co. in pursuance of law met at the Court House in in said County. Present Hon. James M. Gaitskins and Jeremiah Hemstreet (Solomon Dixon another of the Commissioners being absent on account of sickness) present also Mr. M. F. Pierce Auditor of said county and J. W. Ratson Sheriff of said County.

At the same time and place pursuant to law met the Board of Equalization, Present. Orrin L. Clark. Joseph Walter, Jeremiah Rhodes, Shaddeus S. Brooks, James Cathers Wm. Mathews, Isaac Ruffin Read, John Shaw, Henry Ernest, A. F. Duncan, E. H. Taylor & John McCurdy

On motion James M. Gaitskins was elected president of the Board of Equalization; and the Board proceeded to business, and at 12 o'clock adjourned till tomorrow morning 9 o'clock.

J. M. Gaitskins
Jeremiah Hemstreet
M. F. Pierce Aud'r C.

O. L. Clark Joseph Walter
J. Rhodes T. S. Brooks James Cathers.
Wm. Mathews Isaac Ruffin Read John Shaw Henry Ernest
A. F. Duncan E. H. Taylor John McCurdy

Tuesday morning June 2nd A.D. 1857 Board met pursuant to adjournment & adjournment present the same as yesterday.

The Board of Equalization having heard all complaints and transacted all business required of them by law on motion, ordered that the Assessment Rolls returned by the several assessors be received, and the Board of Equalization adjourned

J. M. Gaitskins Commissioners
Jeremiah Hemstreet
M. F. Pierce Auditor

O. L. Clark Joseph Walter J. Rhodes
T. S. Brooks James Cathers Wm. Mathews Isaac Ruffin Read
John Shaw A. F. Duncan E. H. Taylor John McCurdy
Henry Ernest

June Session AD. 1847

The Commissioners being now in session. The several Assessors presented their bills for assessing Taxes which on due consideration the Board allow as follows:

To Orrin C. Clark for Assessing Butler Twp			$10.50
" Joseph Wallace "	"	Jackson "	30.00
" Jeremiah Rhodes "	"	Concord "	54.00
" Haddens Crocker "	"	Newville "	37.00
" James Cather "	"	Stafford "	28.50
" William Mathews "	"	Wilmington "	49.50
" Isaac Ritzner "	"	Union "	48.00
" John Shaw "	"	Richland "	46.50
" Henry Ernst "	"	Fairfield "	31.50
" A. B. Duncan "	"	Smithfield "	39.00
" Edward H. Taylor "	"	Franklin	40.00
" John McCurdy "	"	Troy	35.50

And the Board adjourned to meet to morrow morning.

J. M. Gaitschins
Jeremiah Hemstreet

Wednesday morning June 3rd. 1847. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present James M. Gaitschins & Jeremiah Hemstreet Commissioners. M. P. Pierce, Auditor & D. W. Ralston Sheriff.

Ordered by the Board that John Butt be allowed Two and 50/100 dollars for 8 lbs. of Opal Candles furnished for County. as per bill filed and certified to by Co. Auditor

Ordered that John W. Rickle be allowed the sum of One & 25/100 Dollars for one pair of shoes for R. W. Haney (a criminal) as per bill filed and certified to by Sheriff of County

Ordered that Jacob B. Horner be allowed the sum of Two & 20 Dollars for Attending R. W. Haney (a criminal) while sick in prison. as per bill filed and certified to by Sheriff of said County

Ordered that H. Jones be allowed the sum of fourteen Dollars for medical services rendered Eliza Lour (a poor person) as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Union Township

And that Jonas Emanuel be allowed the sum of Nine dollars for Medical services rendered Sarah Finch (a poor person) as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Concord Township

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Ordered that James Dyer be allowed the sum of twenty dollars for boarding and nursing Mrs. Franklin (a poor person) as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Concord Twp.

Ordered that Isaac Fisher be allowed the sum of Two & 50/100 for making Ballot Box for Troy Township as per bill filed and certified to by Trustees of said Troy Township

Ordered that J. M. Strott, Clerk of DeKalb Circuit Court be allowed the sum of Twenty Five dollars for Extra services as Clerk as per bill filed also certified to.

And that J. M. Strott be allowed the sum of One & 25/100 Dollars for cash advanced for freight on Box of Books and package, as per bill filed and attested by certificate, and by receipt of Express Agent.

Ordered that Edgar Freeman be allowed the sum of one dollar for making return of election from Wilmington Township as per bill filed and certified to by Co. Clerk.

Ordered that Asa Fletcher be allowed the sum of one dollar for making return of election from Concord Township as per bill filed and certified to by Co. Clerk.

Ordered that Henry Clark be allowed the sum of Fifteen & 13/100 Dollars for taking care of Sarah Dodd & Child (poor persons) as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Butler Township

Ordered that Gorey & Keeler be allowed the sum of Two & 50/100 Dollars for medical services rendered Wm Haney (a criminal) as per bill filed and certified to by Sheriff of Co.

Ordered that J. B. Howard be allowed the sum of Four Dollars for furnishing Stoves and repairing Court House porch. as per bill filed and certified to by Sheriff of said County

Ordered that J. M. Case be allowed the sum of One & 50/100 Dollars. justices fee in case of State vs. Lewis Keeler as per bill filed and certified to by said Case

Ordered that J. M. Case be allowed the sum of One & 75/100 Dollars justices fee in case of State vs. Joshua Chilhart as per bill filed and certified to by said Case

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Ordered that H B Sherman be allowed the sum of Three dollars for services as superintendent of Bridge across Bear Creek in Section Eight in Richland Township as per his files and certificate.

Ordered that James A. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of Forty five & 50/100 Dollars for services as physician to County Asylum as per bill filed and sworn to

Ordered that G. Cull McGonigal be allowed the sum of twenty five dollars & fifty cents for printing six quires of Blanks for Treasurer, advertising Treasurers notice

Ordered that Dizell and Lyter be allowed the sum of One hundred & Nine & 75/100 Dollars for Books, Blanks and Stationery furnished County as per his files and certificate.

Ordered that J. P. Lee be allowed the sum of One hundred & one dollars & five cents for books and Stationery furnished county as per bill filed and certificate

Ordered that Daniel Darr be allowed the sum of Seventeen dollars for Boarding and Taking care of Eliza Lowe (a poor person) as per bill filed and certified by Trustee of Union Township

A petition from ~~county~~ divers citizens of Smithfield and Fairfield Townships was now presented to the board which in words and figures are as follows to wit:

"To the Honorable board of Commissioners of DeKalb County, Greeting: We the undersigned "freeholders of DeKalb County, pray your honorable board to grant a view for a county road "on the township line between Fairfield and Smithfield Townships, Commencing at the "quarter post between sections (12) twelve in Fairfield and section (7) seven in Smithfield, "thence north along said Township line to the County line, said road will pass "through the lands owned by Richard Parnell, John Parnell, William Phillips Esq. "McFeeters Mr. Swan, Jacob Montroff, William Hockenthorn and Isaac Fullerton. "The above named road will be of public utility, therefore, for a view, your "constituents will ever pray

April 6th 1857

Regan sworn 6/57

On due consideration the Board grant the above petition and appoint David Regan, Millington Remington & William Brand viewers for said proposed road.

Copy issued June 6 1857

It appearing that a vacancy exists in the office of Constable in Smithfield Township, the Board after mature deliberation appoint John H. Lesh to fill said vacancy.

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And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning

J. C. C. Goetchius
Jeremiah Hansbrough

Thursday June 4th 1857. Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday. The Board after making a visit to the County Asylum as required by law proceeded to business.

J. N. Lyon Superintendent of County Asylum now presents his account of the expenditures at the ~~Poor~~ County Asylum for the quarter ending May 31st A.D. 1857. and presents to the Board the following account duly certified to by said Lyon; and on due consideration the Board allow the following bills:

Jno C. Traver	for provisions & Medicines for Co. Asylum.			$62.64	Pers. Order	
James Quinder	"	"	"	"	25.64	" "
W. Peck	"	Groceries	"	"	20.81	" "
Cyrus Pelt	"	Work	at	"	8.00	" "
M. Long	"	Beef & Pork	for	"	7.75	" "
Sanders	"	Groceries	"	"	6.00	" "
Geo. Wagner	"	"	"	"	3.10	" "
J. N. Lyon	"	Superintending		"	25.00	" "
P. Gaube	"	Potatoes, onions sells &		"	3.53	" "
J. N. Lyon	"	Superintending	County	Asylum	37.38	Com Orders
P. Gaube	"	Work	at	"	2.00	" "
Rebecca Mone	"	"	"	"	6.75	" "
J & Ph Ettinger	Furniture	for	"	"	19.00	" "
R. Trout	for Corn & Work	at	"	"	2.50	" "
Elizabeth Silence	for	"	"	"	1.87	" "
J. D. Davis	"	Tin Ware & Iron	"	"	36.04	" "
W. Peck	"	Goods	for	"	29.02	" "
A. P. Overfield	"	Bacon & Corn for	"	"	13.75	" "
Sam. Sanders	"	Goods	"	"	6.72	" "
John Detmer	"	Lumber	"	"	6.45	" "
Johnathan Kulp	"	Drag & Shovel Plow for	"	"	5.00	" "
Thomas Linney	"	Blacksmithing	"	"	4.90	" "
Daniel Moody	"	Fusing cut copper at	"	"	5.00	" "
C. Shrader	"	Digging grave for pauper			10	" "

Ordered that Jos E Thompson be allowed the sum of three Dollars for services as Commissioner at Contested Election as per bill filed

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The County Auditor now present his annual report of the Receipts & Expenditures of the County for the year ending May 31st 1857. and on due consideration the Board accept the Report and order that the same be recorded. Said report is in words and figures as follows, to wit:

Auditor's Report for 1857.

Auditor's Office, DeKalb Co Ind
June 1st A. D. 1857

To the Hon. Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County:

In compliance with the requirements of law, I submit the following report of the receipts and expenditures at the County Treasury for the fiscal year ending May 31st A.D. 1857. and the condition of the finances of the County at this date.

No 1

A Statement of the receipts and expenditures on all accounts for the year ending May 31st 1857. to wit:

Balance remaining in the treasury at close of fiscal year 1856. (of Co. Funds)	761.02
Collected during the fiscal year 1856 on account of County Revenue	9.577.81
" " " " " " " Township "	1.087.45
" " " " " " " Road "	4.722.75
" " " " " " " Special School Tax	3.287.79
" " " " " " " Municipal "	255.02
" " " " " " " Surveyors Fees	152.26
" " " " " " " Redemption of Lands	359.92
" " " " " " " Insanity	126.49
" " " " " " " Show License	35.00
" " " " " " " Jurors Fees	12.00
" " " " " " " Illegal Taxes Refunded	4.16
" " " " " " " Rent of Court House	1.50
Total Receipts	$20,382.67
Deduct amount paid out during past year	18.421.11
Leaves amount in Treasury at this time	$1.961.56

Expenditures.

There were orders outstanding at the close of financial year 1853 to the amount of $3.988.17

There ~~was orders outstanding~~ has been audited during the fiscal year ending May 31st 1857:

On account of Redemption of Lands	359.92
" " " Surveyors Fees	152.26
Amount carried forward	$4.500.35

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Amount Brot forward	$ 4.500.35
On account of Special School Tax	3.287.79
" " " Cash Road Revenue	4.723.75
" " " Township "	1.087.41
" " " Municipal Tax	255.02
" " " Assessing Revenue	516.75
" " " Expense of Criminals	515.17
" " " Expense of Bridges	338.81
" " " Public Buildings	379.91
" " " Expense of Poor	1.515.76
" " " Co. Officers Salaries	1.965.04
" " " Roads & Highways	90.60
" " " Specific Allowance	2.008.55
" " " Illegal Taxes Refunded	16.20
" " " Expense of Elections	88.42
" " " Interest on Co. Orders	172.75
" " " Judges Salary	844.88
" " " Jurors Fees	837.37
" " " Expense of Insane	183.64
Total Expenditures	$ 22.489.78
Deduct orders Redeemed during year	19.834.61
Leaves orders outstanding at this time	$ 3.655.17

No. 2. — Common or County Funds

Amount in Treasury at close of last fiscal year	761.02
Received on account of County Revenue	7.790.39
" " " " Library Tax	815.59
" " " " Printing	674.84
" " " " Delinquent of last year	496.49
" " " " Illegal Taxes Refunded	4.16
" " " " Jurors Fees	12.00
" " " " Insanity	126.49
" " " " Rent of Court House	1.50
Total Receipts	10.482.48
Deduct Orders Redeemed	9.993.45
Leaves Amount in Treasury	489.03

Expenditures.

Orders outstanding at close of last fiscal year	$ 3.988.17
Granted during the year on account of Assessing Revenue	516.75
" " " " " " " Expense of Bridges	238.81
" " " " " " " Public Buildings	379.91
Amt. Carried forward	5213.64

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Amount carried forward	$5.213.64
Audited during the year on account of Criminals	375.14
" " " " " " Poor	1.315.45
" " " " " " Co. Officers Salaries	1.905.04
" " " " " " Bridges & Highways	91.60
" " " " " " " Specific Allowance	2.008.33
" " " " " " " Illegal Taxes Refunded	36.20
" " " " " " " Expense of Election	38.42
" " " " " " " Interest on Co. Orders	172.75
" " " " " " " Judges Salary	344.88
" " " " " " " Jurors Fees	637.37
" " " " " " " Expense of Insane	103.04
Total Expenditures	$12.632.42
Deduct orders Redeemed during year	10.332.34
Leaves orders outstanding	2.310.08
Deduct amount in Treasury	489.03
Leaves debt of County	$1.821.05

No 3. — Special School Tax

Total Amount collected for 1886	3.287.79
" " Paid to Sup. Treasurer	3.287.79

No 4. — Township Revenue

Amount in Treasury at last settlement	32.53
" Collected during the year	1.054.90
Total	1.087.43
Amount paid to Sup. Treasurer	1.087.43

No 5 Cash Road Revenue

Am't in Treasury at last settlement	195.67
" Collected during the year	4.527.08
Total	4.722.75
Amount paid to Sup. Treasurer	4.722.75

No 6. — Municipal Tax

Amount Collected during year	255.02
Paid to Town Treasury	255.02

No. 7 Co. Surveyors Fees

Amount in Treasury at last settlement	10.13
" Collected during the year	142.13
Total	$152.26
Amount paid to Joseph Sodine Ex. Fees & Dft Attending	10225

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No. 5. Redemption of land

Amount in Treasury at last settlement	79.32
" Collected during the year	280.50
Total Receipts	359.92
Expenditure.	
Orders outstanding at last settlement	62.49
" Audited during past year	280.50
Total Expenditure	343.09
Total amount of Receipts	359.92
" " " Expenditures	343.09
Items amount not drawn for	16.83
Total Amount of Receipts	359.92
" " " Orders Redeemed	335.89
Amount in Treasury at this time	$ 24.03

No. 9 Agricultural

Amount received during year on account of State Licens	55.00
" Paid out during year	00.00
Items amount in Treasury	55.00

All of which is respectfully submitted

Milton T. Pierce, Aud. D.C.

The County Treasurer now presents his annual report of the Receipts and Disbursements at his office, for year ending June 1st 1857 which the Board accepts and order the same to be recorded. Said report is in words and figures as follows, to wit:

County Treasurers Annual Report for 1857

Treasurers office Auburn Ind. June 1st 1857

The County Treasurer of DeKalb County Ind. would respectfully submit to the Honorable board of Commissioners of said County the following report of the receipts and disbursements at the county Treasury in sd County for the fiscal year ending June 1st A. D. 1857

Total amt in Treasury May 31st 1856	1081.89
" " " Collected during the year	19300.78
" " of Revenue for the year ending June 1st 1857	20382.67
" " " Orders Redeemed for " " "	19834.61
Bal in Treasury " " "	548.06

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Amount of County Revenue in in Treasury May 31 1856	761.02
" collected to June 1st A.D 1857	9.731.46
Total " " " " " "	10.492.48
" " of Orders Redeemed to June 1st 1857	9.993.45
Ballance in Treasury " "	489.03
Amount of Road Revenue in Treas. May 31st A.D. 1856	195.67
" Collected to June 1st 1857	4.527.08
" " " " " "	4722.75
" of Orders Redeemed	4.722.75
Amount of Township Revenue in Treas May 31st 1856	32.85
" " " " collected to June 1st 1857	1054.90
Total " " " " " " "	1.087.45
Orders Redeemed " " "	1087 45
Amount of Special School Tax collected to June 1st 1857	3.287.79
" " Orders Redeemed " " "	3.287.79
Amount of Surveyors fees in Treasury May 31st 1856	10.13
" " " " collected to June 1st 1857	142.13
Total " " " " " "	152.26
" " Orders Redeemed	152.26
Amount of Agricultural fund collected to June 1st 1857	35.00
Orders Redeemed	00.00
Amount of Redemption of Land fund in Treas May 31st 1856	82.52
" " " " " collected to June 1st 1857	277.40
Total " " " " " " "	359.92
" " " Orders Redeemed " " "	335.89
Ballance in Treasury June 1st 1857	24.03
Amount of Auburn Municipal Tax in Treasury June 1st 1857,	355.02
" " Orders Redeemed to " " "	355.02
Hence the amount in the Treasury belonging to the several funds June 1st 1857. is as follows:	
County Revenue in Treasury June 1st 1857	489.03
Agricultural fund " " " "	35.00
Redemption of Land fund " " " "	24.03
Total Amount " " " "	548.06

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The following orders have been ~~granted~~ registered and not returned to June 1st 1857.

No 6726, 6744, 7030, 7095, 7102, 7140, 7186, 7207, 7522, 7548, 7574, 7702, 7708, 7752, 7807, 7833, 7946, 8105, 8307, 8333, 8351, 8359, 8380, 8391, 8396, 8405, 8407, 8412, 8418, 8457, 8483, 8485, 8488, 8471, 8472, 8486, 8489, 8497, 8500, 8503, 8504, 8506, 8508, 8551, 8584, 8589, 8583, 8602, 8622, 8626, 8627, 8630, 8631, 8634, 8636, 8637, 8638, 8641, 8643, 37, 39, 43, 52, 62, 66, 62, 64, 65, 77, 84, 88, 89, 92, 96, 104, 105, 110, 112, 120, 121, 122, 123, 126, 131, 134, 136, 140, 148, 161, 166, 172, 189, 190, 197, 218, 223, 226, 241, 249, 269, 272, 289, 305, 306, 311, 322, 324, 325, 332, 348, 349, 351, 357, 369, 390, 397, 419, 420, 446, 450, 462, 483, 511, 512, 513, 516, 518, 526, 531, 537, 573, 590, 607, 628, 630, 651, 664, 665, 670, 671, 673, 674, 675, 676, 712, 713, 714, 720, 721, 722, 725, 730, 732, 733, 734, 735, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 760, 766, 770, 771, 773, 774, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 795.

Amounting to $3.15.75

All of which is respectfully submitted by
E W Fosdick Insp. D.R. Co

Ordered that E. W. Fosdick be allowed the sum of two hundred & thirty eight & 28/100 Dollars for keeping out the several fences for the year 1856 as per bill filed and certified to.

And that E. W. Fosdick be allowed the sum of twenty seven & 52/100 dollars for mileage going to Indianapolis for Com. School Journ. as per bill filed and certified to by said Fosdick.

And that E. W. Fosdick be allowed the sum of One 95/100 Dollars for cash advanced for candles, paper & matches for office, as per bill filed and sworn to.

Ordered that Stutz & Braden be allowed the sum of Eleven and 35/100 Dollars ~~cts~~ per for Stationery for County, as per bill filed and certified to.

J McGoetschius
Jeremiah Hunsbeck

Friday morning June 5th 1857. Board met at ten o'clock A.M. present the same as yesterday.

Ordered that the sum of fifty dollars be, and is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of a bridge across Cedar Creek, two miles west of Auburn on the State Road near Davis Mowers, to be expended under the supervision of Washington Ellison and not to be drawn for until said Bridge is completed

Ordered that One hundred Dollars be, and is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of a Bridge across Cedar Creek near Davis Mowers in section fifteen, Richland township, to be expended under the supervision of Aylmer Bowers, and not to be drawn for until said Bridge is completed

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Ordered that Sixty dollars be and is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of a bridge across Big Run in Stafford Township, on the State Road ~~leading~~ one and one half miles east of Armstown to be expended under the supervision of Frederick Kuffner and not to be drawn for until said bridge is completed

Copy issued June 6 1857

Ordered that C. L. Hill be allowed the sum of Sixty four & 75/100 Dollars for Books, Blanks and Stationary furnished County as per bill filed

The Board now proceeded to select a physician to attend those persons who are, and who may be sick at the County Asylum and after mature deliberation, select Joseph H. Ford to serve as such physician for the ensuing year.

Copy issued June 6 1857

Ordered that Charles Griffin, a resident of Hamilton Township be, and he is hereby released from paying a poll tax ~~during his residence in Pittsburgh County~~ for five years

Cert issued June 6 1857

Ordered that J. W. Raldon, County agent, be, and he is hereby authorized to draw a sufficient amount of funds from the County Treasury to procure the necessary provisions and comforts for the inmates of the County Asylum ~~and~~ to keep up all necessary repairs and to defray the general expenses of said asylum not otherwise provided for

Ordered that Rues Maynard a resident of Concord Township be, and he is hereby released from the paying a poll tax ~~in Pittsburgh County~~ for five years

Cert issued June 6 1857

Ordered that M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Three hundred and Twenty one 00/100 for services as County Auditor as per bill filed and certified to.

Ordered that M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Thirty two Dollars for making Road Lists for 1857 in part. as per bill filed and certified to.

And that M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Twenty five Dollars for extra services as Auditor for quarter ending June 1. 1857 as per bill filed and certified to.

June Session A. D. 1887

The Board now proceed to lay a County Tax and after mature deliberation, order that there be charged on the duplicate of 1887 the following rates of taxation, to wit:

For County purposes Thirty cents on each and every hundred dollars valuation of the taxable property in said County

Also for support of Poor Twenty cents on the hundred dollars valuation of the taxable property in said County.

And also for the building and repairing of bridges Ten cents on the hundred dollars valuation of the taxable property in said county

Ordered that Auditor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to charge to each taxpayer, person or corporation chargeable with taxes; at the foregoing rates on the Tax Duplicate of 1887. And also to calculate and charge all other taxes that have been levied or assessed according to law, on said duplicate, to such taxpayer his due portion.

June 10 1887
10 days @ $3.00
$30.00

Ordered that S. H. Ralston be allowed the sum of Twenty five dollars for extra service as Sheriff for quarter ending June 1887 as per his files and certificate

June 10 1887
$10.00

And that S. H. Ralston be allowed the sum of Ten dollars for attending board of Commissioners 5 days at June session 1887 as per his files and certificate.

June 10, 1887
$30.00

And that S. H. Ralston be allowed the sum of Ten dollars for attending Circuit Court at May Term, and Twenty dollars for Summoning Grand and Petit jurors for same term as per bill files and certificate

June 10, 1887
$9.30
$9.30

And that S. H. Ralston be allowed the sum of Forty five & 30/100 Dollars for boarding and watching for R. H. Haley a criminal while confined in jail and also fuel for jail and two shirts for said Haley as per his files and certificate

And that S. H. Ralston be allowed the sum of fifty two & 00/100 for cash advanced to John Nugent for boarding to Solomon Leffler for one and to A. P. Kistler for per diem, all for County Asylum as per bill files and certificate

And that S. H. Ralston be allowed the sum of Twenty two dollars for attending Court of Common Pleas at April Term and summoning Jurors for same, as per bill files and certificate

And that S. H. Ralston be allowed the sum of One dollar for cash paid to James McGillchrist for Hauling Lime (for County House) as per bill files and certificate

June Session A.D. 1837

Ordered that M.S. Pierce be allowed the sum of thirty two dollars for copying and plotting Road book in part. as per bill filed and certified to.

And that M.S. Pierce be allowed the sum of Four & 00 Dollars for Cash advanced for candles and freight & postage as per bill filed and certified to

And that M.S. Pierce be allowed the sum of Nineteen and 33-100 Dollars for services as Assessor at June session of Commissioners 1837 as per bill filed and certified to.

Ordered that James McGotchins and Jeremiah Hemstreet be each allowed the sum of fifteen dollars for services as commissioners at June term 1837. and the Board adjourned to meet on the first Monday in September next

J. McGotchins

Jeremiah Hemstreet

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Vacation between June & September 1857

Deed
Auditor of DeKalb Co. Ind.
to
Peter Naragon
for
School Land

Whereas Peter Naragon has paid the full sum of One Hundred (100) Dollars in full for the South east quarter of the North east quarter of Section No Sixteen (16) in Township No Thirty five (35) North of Range No Fourteen (14) east, containing Forty (40) Acres be the same more or less.

Now know Ye: that for and in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the Statutes made and provided in such cases, I. Milton F. Pierce, Auditor in and for said County of DeKalb and State of Indiana, for, and in the name of the inhabitants of Congressional Township No Thirty five (35) North of Range No Fourteen (14) east, in County and State aforesaid, do give and grant the said South east quarter of the North east quarter of said Section Sixteen (16), to the said Peter Naragon his heirs and assigns forever, in as full and ample a manner as the said Auditor of said County is empowered to convey the same.

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name as Auditor of said County and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County. Done at the office of the said Auditor this Twenty second day of June A.D. One Thousand eight hundred and fifty seven

Milton F. Pierce, Auditor
DeKalb County Ind.

State of Indiana
DeKalb County S.S.

Personally appeared before me, J.D. Davis a Justice of the Peace of said County, the within named Milton F. Pierce, ~~Auditor~~ known to me as the Auditor of said County and acknowledged the execution of the within deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Witness my hand and seal at Auburn, this 22nd day of June A.D. 1857

J.D. Davis Justice of the Peace

September Session A. D. 1837

Monday September 7th A.D. 1837.

The Board of Commissioners in and for Pike County, in pursuance of Law, met at the Court House in said County. Present their Hons Solomon Strong, James Gentry, and Jeremiah Hemstreet. Present also Mr. Pierce, Auditor of said County and Clerk of said Board and J. W. Ralston Sheriff of said County.

And the Board proceeded to business

No 1059 Sep 12, 1837 — Ordered that William Ballew be allowed the sum of One & 25/100 Dollars for repairing Auditors and Recorders office as per bill filed and certified to by the Auditor and Recorder

Ordered that Jefferson Wallace be allowed the sum of Six dollars— One dollar for attending Board of Commissioners, in correcting an error in

No 1032 cause Sep 10 1837 — case of an order in favor of James Murphey, which was rescinded, and five dollars for making coffin for Daniel Gibbon, dece'd, a poor person, as per bill filed and certified to by trustees of Richland Township

No 1033 issued Sep 10 1837 — Ordered that Dimmick Harden be allowed the sum of One dollar for hauling corpse to burying ground as per bill filed and certified to by Trustees of Richland Township

Ordered that W. C. McGonigal be allowed the sum of Ten Dollars

No. 1002. — for publishing Exhibit of Receipts & Expenditures for 1837.

No. 1003 — And that W. C. McGonigal be allowed the sum of One hundred Dollars for Two hundred quires of Assessors Blanks furnished County.

No. 1004 1005 & 1010 — And that W. C. McGonigal be allowed the sum of One & 5/100 Dollars for blanks furnished Clerk, as per bills filed and ~~certified~~ sworn to.

No 1037 Sep 10 1837 — Ordered that E. W. Fosdick be allowed the sum of Eighteen & 22/100 Dollars for paying out Seven hundred, twenty nine & 13/100 Dollars of County funds as per bill filed and certified to

No 1038 Sep 10, 1837 — And that E. W. Fosdick be allowed the sum of One & 28/100 Dollars for paying out Specie Deficit Law, as per bill filed and certified to

No 1039 Sep 10 1837 — And that E. W. Fosdick be allowed the sum of Six & 50/100 Dollars for interest paid on County orders as per bill filed and certified to.

No 1040 Sep 10, 1837 — And that E. W. Fosdick be allowed the sum of Sixty nine dollars for cash advanced to County Agent as per bill filed and certified to.

September Session A. D. 1837

Boards accepts resignation

E. M. Forlick, Treasurer now presents the Board his resignation as Treasurer which resignation the Boards Accepts the same to take effect on Friday September 11 A. D. 1837.

A petition from divers citizens of DeKalb County asking for a view of a road for a public highway, was now presented to the Board which is ordered to be recorded. said petition is in words as follows to wit:

"To the Honorable Board of
"Commissioners of DeKalb County in the State of Indiana.
"The undersigned citizens of said County would humbly rep=
"resent.
"That they labor under a great inconvenience for want of a public
Petitioners Sep. 12. 1837 "highway on the Township line between Union and Smithfield Townships
"and Richland and Fairfield Townships in said County from and
"to the following points to wit: Commencing on the said Township line
a west course "at the State road leading from Auburn to Thomsons Mill, thence west=
Sep 12. 1837 "wardly on said Township line to the State Road leading from Auburn
"to Fairfield Centre, said road will pass through or touch lands belong=
"ing to the Lytle Samuel Linsler, William Bonnel, —— Savage,
"Jacob Linsler, L. G. Kine, Joseph A Jones, James Richards,
"Samuel McCagues heirs. Harrison Jones, Jacob Carl, Asa Brumback,
"Peter Moody, John Buchannan, Jesse Brumback, and unknown
"residents.
"Your petitioners would therefor pray your honorable body to appoint
"viewers to view and mark said road for said road on said Township line
"or as near thereto as practicable, and upon the return of said viewers
"establish a road on said view, as the public would be much benefitted
"thereby, & your petitioners will ever pray &c."

After mature deliberation, the Board appoint
Viewers Sep. 12. 1837 Henry Wills, William Child, & L. G. Britain, viewers to view and mark a road for said proposed road.

The Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock A. M.

Tuesday morning pursuant to adjournment.

Solomon Dekalb
J. McCoy Boetsler
Jesse Mc Kimstrick

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Tuesday Morning September 8th A.D. 1857

Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday.

Daniel Rager, Millington M. Errington and William Brandt the persons appointed to view a road for a Road, now present a report of their doings as said viewers, in words as follows to wit:

State of Indiana }
Decatur County ss } We the undersigned viewers after being duly qualified did proceed to view the location of a road commencing at the quarter post between Section Twelve in Fairfield Township and Section seven in Smithfield Township, thence North along the Township line to the County line, a distance of One and one half miles, and believe the same to be of public utility and do establish the same as a Public Highway, forty feet wide

Given under our hands and seals this 25th day of June A.D. 1857

Daniel Rager
Millington M. Errington Viewers
William Brandt

Petition viewed Sep 12. 1857

On due consideration the Board concur in the above report, and grant the establishment of a public highway on the road specified in the above report

Petition viewed Sep 13 1857

No 1290 Gen'l Fd 188

Ordered that James Blake be allowed the sum of Four and 87/100 Dollars for two days service in assisting Sheriff to capture Joshua Shellhart a criminal as per bill filed and certified to.

No 1050

Ordered that Lee & Wilson be allowed the sum of Seven & 87/100 Dollars for Stationery furnished County, as per bill filed and certified to by Recorder

Exp. 135 T.B. 10.5

Ordered that E. Mefs be allowed the sum of Three Dollars for services rendered in giving relief to Rhoda Errington a poor person of Fairfield Township as per bill filed and certified by Trustee of Fairfield Township

No 1034

Ordered that Samuel Meier be allowed the sum of Three Dollars for services rendered in giving relief to George M. Ellison a poor person of Fairfield Twp as per bill and certified to by Trustee of said Twp

No 1035 Gen'l Fd

Ordered that John Long be allowed the sum of Six dollars for services rendered in giving relief to George M. Ellison a family poor persons of Fairfield Township as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of said Township

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No 1035 Ordered that P. H. Ford be allowed the sum of Ten Dollars
Issued Sept 8 57 for services as County Physician for quarter ending September 8. 1857
as per bill filed and sworn to.

No 1012 Ordered that Jeremiah Hemstreet be allowed the sum of One
Issued Sept 8 57 dollar for hauling Eliza Powers goods to Princetown as per
bill filed

Dec 15. 1857 Ordered that Chas. A. Braden be allowed the sum of
No 1250 Twenty Nine & 50/100 Dollars for Stationary furnished County as
per bill filed and certified to by Auditor.

J. M. Lyon, Superintendent of the County Asylum now presents to the Board his account of his Expenditures at the County Asylum for the quarter ending September 8th 1857 and presents to the Board the following accounts duly certified to by said Lyon all of which are allowed

Sept 10 1857 No 1016 issued Sept 10 57	To	George Easley	for Lumber for Co Asylum			4.72
No 1013 issued Sept 10 1857	"	Sam Sanders	" Dry Goods " " "			8.01
No 1017 issued Sept. 10. 1857	"	Cyrus Pike	" Work done at " "			9.90
No 1018 issued Sept 10 1857	"	G. W. Stahl	" Tailoring for " "			5.75
No 1019 issued Sept 10 1857	"	Rebecca Moore	" Work at " "			6.49
No 1020 issued Sept 10 1857	"	Thomas Linsey	" Blacksmithing for " "			5.25
No 1021 issued Sept 10 1857	"	H. Pratt	" Dry Goods " " "			27.86
No 1022 issued Sept 10 1857	"	J. D. Davis	" Tin Ware " " "			2.69
[illegible] issued Sept 10 1857	"	L. R. Ward	" Boots & Shoes " " "		Preferred.	3.50
[illegible] issued Sept 10 1857	"	Mike Long	" Beef " " "		"	1.50
[illegible] issued Sept 10 1857	"	Sam Sanders	" Glass " " "		"	2.02
[illegible] issued Sept 10 1857	"	Solomon Lisher	" Live Hogs " " "		"	8.79
[illegible] issued Sept 10 1857	"	H. Pratt	" Groceries " " "		"	80.27
No 1025 issued Sept 10 1857	"	John Purcell	" Beef " " "		"	4.20
No 1027 issued Sept 10 1857	"	Warner Brothers	" Groceries " " "		"	7.55
No 1024 issued Sept 10 1857	"	James Griswold	" " " "		"	18.84
No 1029 issued Sept 10 1857	"	George Seymour	" " " "		"	2.84
No 1030	"	J. M. Lyon	services as Sup. " " "		"	15.00

Ordered that J. M. Lyon be allowed the sum of forty four
No 1044 & 1045 & 50/100 Dollars for services as Superintendent of County Asylum
Issued Sept 11 57 in part for quarter ending Sept 7 1857 as per bill filed and
certified to. And the Board adjourned

Solom Sellen
J. McG. Gaitscheus
Jeremiah Hemstreet

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Wednesday Morning Sept 9 1857

Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same yesterday

A Petition from divers citizen of DeKalb County for a view for a road for a highway was now presented to the Board, which was ordered to be recorded. Said petition is in words as follows to wit:

"To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County, in the State of Indiana. The undersigned citizens of said county would respectfully represent.

That they labor under great inconvenience for a public highway, to commence at the county line of said county on the section line, between sections eighteen and nineteen, in Township thirty-four north of Range twelve east. (Richland) thence eastwardly along said section line or as near thereto as practicable until it intersects the Fort Wayne and Coldwater road between sections seventeen and twenty in Township thirty-four north of Range thirteen east (Union) said route would pass through or touch lands belonging to or owned by Robert Doy, Seaman Smith, Eli Pierce George Keen Jacob Lehner, B. B. Kapp, David Kirk, J. West & G. W. Hosler, James Blake Sophia Jeff. Heirs of Savannah Monkhite. Thomas Hiney George Kufner, Jacob B. Palmer Daniel Lintz, J. M. Goetschius, John Thomas, Joshua Fagler, Abraham Hartman, Jacob Werner, J. W. Sprott, Barbara Hoffman, Joshua J. Hoffman, Isaac Metzner John Pipple, Robert Reid, M. Dutton & Salsbury, H. Smalley & Squires, R. G. Savage, Delano Beeches, Jacob Wilhoit, Hasle LaKnovel, Peter Pulaud, Jacob Cass, David Lawrence John Robb Peter Robb heirs of Henry A. Shull, George Brandt John Frampton, John Davis."

The undersigned would therefore pray your honorable body to appoint viewers to view, mark and locate a County road of the width of forty feet on the above route, and your petitioners will ever pray &c."

After mature deliberation the Board appointed Daniel Moody, John Brandon, & Christian Sheets, viewers to view and mark a route for said proposed road.

Viewers sworn Sept 12 1857

Ordered that J. R. Ellinger be allowed the sum of five dollars for writing desk furnished County, as per bill filed and certificate No by Auditor

No 1069 Issued Sept 10/57

Ordered that C. L. Hill be allowed the sum of Seventy dollars for ~~services~~ Books & Stationery furnished County as per bill filed and certified to by Auditor.

No 1071 Sept 12. 57

And that J. P. Lee be allowed the sum of Fifty 75/100 Dollars for balance on stationery bill, as per bill filed

No 1072 Sept 11 57

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The Board now proceed to appoint a suitable person to fill the vacancy in the office of County Treasurer. and after mature deliberation, appoint Christopher S Kerr to fill said vacancy

Copy issued Sep 9. 1857

Ordered That M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Eighty three dollars & fourty five cents for making out voter lists for 1857 as per bill filed and certified to.

Ordered That C. M. Fordick be allowed the sum of One & 75/100 Dollars for cash advanced to J. S. Peck for fees for making return of fines collected as per bill filed

Sept 11 1857

Ordered That W. Peck be allowed the sum of Two Dollars for letter furnished Treasurers office as per bill filed and certified to.

Sept 10th 1857 Issued Sept 18. 1857

Ordered That J. B. Hoover be allowed the sum of Two Dollars for serving precepts on Bayer, Irrington & Brand. as per bill filed

Christopher S. Kerr the person appointed to fill the vacancy in the office of County Treasurer now present to the Board his official Bond for Twenty Thousand Dollars. which on due consideration the Board approve.

Issued Sept 16. 1857

Ordered That Charles Kinney be allowed the sum of Six Dollars, for repairing Jail door as per bill filed and certified to by Co Agent.

Issued Sept 16. 1857

Ordered That Wells & Braden be allowed the sum of Thirty seven & 75/100 Dollars for Books & Stationery furnished County as per bill filed and certified to

Sept 15th 1857 Issued Sept 16

Ordered That M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Twenty five Dollars for Clerk hire as Auditor for quarter ending Sep. 7th A. D. 1857 as per bill filed and certified to

Ordered That W. W. Pratt be allowed the sum of Twenty five Dollars for clerk hire as Clerk for quarter ending September 7th 1857 as per bill filed and certified to

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Ordered That S. W. Sprott be allowed the sum of Twenty seven 87/100 Dollars for cash advanced for Oil, Lamp, freight &c. as per bill filed and certified to by Co. Agent

And that M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Five & 8/100 Dollars for cash advanced for freight book & postage as per bill filed and certified to.

No 1072 Sep 12. 1837

Ordered That James Grundy be allowed the sum of One & 25/100 Dollars for Brush and Sweeping furnished County as per bill filed and sworn to

Ordered That M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Two hundred & Eight & 84/100 Dollars for services as County Auditor in making out Duplicates &c. as per bill filed and certified to

No 1084 Sep 12. 1837

Ordered That S. W. Ralston be allowed the sum of Twenty five ~~00~~ Dollars for ~~keeping~~ sundry visits to the agency of John Hill, a criminal) committing him to jail and boarding him while in jail up to Sep 7 1837. as per bill filed and certified to

And that M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of One hundred & Eight Dollars for services as County Auditor and Specific services in part, as per bill filed and certified to. Twenty dollars preferred

No 1078 Sep 12. 1837

And that S. W. Ralston be allowed the sum of Twenty five Dollars for extra services as Sheriff for quarter ending Sep 7. 1837 as per bill filed and certified to

Nos 1053, 1065 1066 Sep 2. 1837

And that S. W. Ralston be allowed the sum of Twenty six Dollars for Summonsing Jury of August Term of 6. of 6 P. and attending said court and attending Board of Com. at September Term, as per bill filed and certified to

No 1064 Sep 12 1837

And that S. W. Ralston be allowed the sum of Eleven Dollars for one dozen chairs furnished court and painting inside of Treasurer's office as per bill filed and certified to

Order passed July 7. 1838

Ordered That the sum of Thirty Dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of a Bridge across Bear Creek two miles west of Auburn to be expended under the jurisdiction of H. Carter

September Session A.D. 1857

Ordered that Wm Pierce be allowed the sum of Six dollars for services as Auditor at September Session of Board of Commissioners

Ordered that Solomon Delong James M. Goelshins and Jeremiah Hemstreet be each allowed the sum of Nine Dollars for services as Commissioners at last Session 1857 and the Board adjourned to meet ~~to morrow at 10~~ on the first Monday in December 1857

Solomon Delong
Jeremiah Hemstreet
J. M. Goelshins

Vacation between September & December 1857

Transfer of School Certificate No 1 of North half of North west quarter of Section Sixteen Town Thirty five Range Thirteen East.

For value recived I hereby assign over and transfer to William Huffman and Samuel Tell all my right title and interest in the above certificate. witness my hand this 7th day of October 1857

Joshua Wibb

State of Indiana
DeKalb County SS.

Before me the undersigned Auditor in and for said County personally appeared Joshua Wibb and acknowledged the execution of the above assignment. witness my hand this 7th day of Oct. 1857

Milton L. Pierce Auditor

Be it known that on this the twelfth day of October A. D. 1857 I delivered to C. L. Hare Treasurer of DeKalb county the Tax Duplicate for 1857 amounting to Twenty nine Thousand five hundred & forty two & 7/100 Dollars, and that I also made and and forwarded to the Auditor of the State of Indiana a complete abstract of the assessment of DeKalb County for 1857. and also a complete abstract of the Taxes of said county for said Year

M. L. Pierce Auditor

October Special Sesion A. D. 1857

Pursuant to a call of the Auditor of DeKalb County the Board of Commissioners of said county met at the Auditors Office on Friday the 30th day of October A.D. 1857. Present their Cons. Solomon DeLong and Jeremiah Hemstreet commissioners, and M. F. Pierce Auditor

Jacob Helvie The person elected to the office of Treasurer of DeKalb County at the October election A.D. 1857 now presents his official Bond in the sum of Forty thousand ($40.000) Dollars signed by the said Helvie as principal & Samuel H. Scott, Samuel M. Ralston, John N. Miller and Phillip Fluke as sureties which on due consideration the Board approve.

No 1102
" 1103 issued
Oct 30 1857

Ordered That Solomon DeLong, and Jeremiah Hemstreet be each allowed the sum of Three dollars for services as commissioners at this session.

There being no further business

The Board adjourned

Solomon DeLong

Jeremiah Hemstreet

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Location Filed Oct Special Session of Dec Sess 1857

Assignment of Scrip Certificate No 7 of De Kalb County

For value received of Wilson Nichols I assign over and transfer to Wilson Nichols all my right title Interest and claim to the within East half of the North west quarter of Section No thirty (30) in Township No Thirty three (33) North of Range No fifteen (15) east. Witness my hand and seal this 28 day of October 1857

Simon Nichols (Seal)

State of Indiana
De Kalb County ss. Personally appeared before me the above named Simon Nichols, and acknowledged the execution of the above assignment this 28 day of October 1857

M Waterman Asst (Seal)

Recorded on page 340. Commissioners Record C of De Kalb Co Ind
M Waterman A D C

Deed
Auditor D C
To
Wilson Nichols
Assignee of
Simon Nichols

Whereas Wilson Nichols assignee of Simon Nichols has paid the full sum of One hundred Dollars in full for the east half of the North west quarter of Section No thirty (30) in Township No Thirty three (33) North of Range No Fifteen (15) east in the said County of De Kalb and State of Indiana containing Eighty (80) acres be the same more or less

Now know ye: That for and in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the Statutes in such cases made and provided I Milton L. Pierce Auditor in and for said De Kalb County and State of Indiana for and in the name of the inhabitants of Congressional Township No Thirty three (33) North of Range No fifteen (15) east do give and grant unto the said Wilson Nichols, the said East half of the North west quarter, to his heirs and assigns forever.

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name as Auditor of said County and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County this 6th day of November A D. 1857

Milton L. Pierce Auditor
De Kalb Co

(Seal)

State of Indiana
De Kalb County ss. Personally appeared before me the undersigned Recorder of said County Milton L. Pierce Auditor of said County and acknowledged the execution of the above deed.

Nov 6 1857

M Quinnell Recorder

Vacations between December and March Term 1857 & 1858

Assignment of School Certificate No of DeKalb County

For value received I hereby assign over and transfer all my right interest and claim to the within Certificate to Catherine Monroe This 10th day of February A.D. 1858 John H. Monroe

Monroe
Feb 10 1858
M.L. Pierce
Aud

State of Indiana
DeKalb County S.S.

Personally appeared before me John H. Monroe and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing certificate. This 10th day of February A.D. 185 M. L. Pierce Auditor
D.C.

Deed
Aud. DeKalb Co
to
Catherine Monroe

Whereas Catherine Monroe assignee of John H. Monroe, assignee of Benjamin Eatherright has paid the full sum of Sixty dollars in full for the North West quarter of the North east quarter of Section No Sixteen (16) Town Thirty four (34) North of Range No Fourteen (14) east in said County of DeKalb and State of Indiana containing Forty acres more or less except the right of way for the Logansport aka Northern Indiana Rail Road

Recorded
Feb 10 1858

Now Know Ye That for and in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the Statutes in such cases made and provided that I. Morton L. Pierce. Auditor in and for said County for and in the name of the Inhabitants of Congressional Township No Thirty four (34) North of Range No Fourteen (14) east do give and grant to the said Catherine Monroe the said North West quarter of North east quarter to her heirs and assigns forever

L.S.

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the board of Commissioners of said County This 10th day of February 1858

M. L. Pierce Aud

State of Indiana
DeKalb county S.S. Personally appeared before me the undersigned Notary Public in and for said County M. L. Pierce Auditor of said County M. L. Pierce Auditor of said County and acknowledged the execution of the above deed this

Feb. 10 1858 W. H. Dills Notary Public

December Session A.D. 1857

December 7th A.D. 1857

The Board of Commissioners in for DeKalb County in pursuance of law, met at the court House in said County on Monday December 7. A.D. 1857. Present their Hons. James M. Gortschius, Jeremiah Vermilyea and Hugh Daly, present also M.L. Pierce, Auditor of said County and Clerk of said Board, and S.H. Ralston Sheriff of said County

On motion, James M. Gortschius was chosen President of the Board for the ensuing year.

Jeremiah Plum, Coroner of DeKalb County now presented to the Board the claims of the following persons who served as jurors at the Inquest held on the Body of John Hill who was found dead in the County Jail on the 23rd day of September 1857, and on due consideration the Board,

Ordered That M.L. Pierce, James Daggett, Wyley Griswold, D.H. Attenburg, Hiram Griswold, Thomas J. Wallace, Franklin Jones, H.A. Lowry, Sala Smith, Wm. C. Rush, Wm. Wallace & Harrison Jones be each allowed twenty five cents for services as such Jurors.

Dec. 11 1857 — Ordered that Jeremiah Plum be allowed the sum of Five Dollars for services as Coroner in case of the death of John Hill as per bill filed and certified to

Dec. 11 1857 — Ordered That James Daggett be allowed the sum of One Dollar for services in bringing Coroner to Auburn to hold Inquest on body of John Hill, as per bill filed and certified to by Coroner

Dec. 11. 1857 — Ordered That Jacob Helwig be allowed the sum of six Dollars and twenty four cents for Meat on County Orders, as per bill filed.

And that Jacob Helwig be allowed the sum of Six & 75/100 Dollars for cash advanced for Candles for County as per bill filed.

And that Jacob Helwig be allowed the sum of Four and 70/100 Dollars for cash advanced for Ink Stand, Gold Pen, and Bank note Detector as per bill filed and certified to

Dec. 10 1857 — Ordered That H. & M. McGonigal be allowed the sum of Three hundred and sixty Dollars for publishing Delinquent List for 1857 as per bill filed and [illegible]

Dec. 15 57 — And that H. & M. McGonigal be allowed the sum of Sixty Eight and 50/100 Dollars for advertising and printing for County as per bill filed [illegible]

$ 417.17

December Session 1857

$417.17

Dec 11/14 No 11185 — Ordered that John Johnson be allowed the sum of Seven Dollars for making Coffin for John Hill a County charge as per bill filed and certified to by Sheriff and Coroner — 7.00

Dec 10 1857 — Ordered That Lyman Chidsey be allowed the sum of One and 25/100 Dollar for repairing Bridge on Road leading from Auburn to Spencerville near Auburn Grist Mill as per bill filed and certified to. — 1.25

Dec. 12. 1857 No 1257 — Ordered That John A. Dittmers be allowed the sum of Eleven and 79/100 Dollars for services repairing Bridge and furnishing lumber for same as per bill filed and certified to. — 11.79

And the Board adjourned to meet to morrow morning at 8 o'clock

T. McGaffichin
Jeremiah Hunstreet
Amos Seely
Board of Commissioners

Thursday morning, December 8th. 1857. The Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present the same as yesterday.

Dec 11. 1857 No 1237 — Ordered that S. W. Sprott be allowed the sum of Three & 72/100 Dollars for cash advanced for 1 gal. of Lamp Fluid & freight thereon, to freight & candles, glass, putty, glazing & Brass, as per bill filed and certified to. — 3.72

Dec. 10 1857 Land & 11162 — Ordered that S. W. Sprott be allowed the sums of Twenty five Dollars for extra services as Clerk for quarter Ending Dec. 1st 1857 as per bill filed and certified to. — 25.00

No 1299 — Ordered that Harman Mullen be allowed the sum of One Dollar for services as Overseer of Poor in case of Thomas Nodine, a poor person, as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Smithfield Township. — 1.00

Dec. 15 1857 No 1271 — Ordered that Watts & Braden be allowed the sum of Fifteen Dollars for Seal furnished Circuit Court as per bill filed and certified to by Clerk of Circuit Court — 15.00

No 1272 — Ordered that John Burt be allowed the sum of Two & 50/100 Dollars for candles furnished County as per bill filed and certified to by Co. Auditor — 2.50

No 1303 — Ordered That Wm. Cox be allowed the sum of One Dollar for services as overseer of poor in case of Thomas Nodine a poor person as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Smithfield Township — 1.00

68.56

$486.73

December Term A.D. 1857

283.73

Dec 14. 1857 — Ordered that C. H. Gilbert be allowed the sum of Two 73/100 Dollars
No 1258 — for Lumber furnished County as per bill filed and certified to by S. M. Ralston
County Agent

Dec 1st 57 — Ordered that Kell & Jacobs be allowed the sum of Thirty Four
no 1240 — and 60/100 Dollars for Books & Stationery furnished County as per bill
filed and certified by Co. Auditor.

Daniel Moody, John Brandon & Christian Sheets. The persons appointed
to view a Road present the following Report

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County, Indiana:

We the
undersigned having been appointed by the order herewith returned, to view the
Road and report: after having been duly sworn in pursuance of said
order, and have in the following manner to wit: Beginning at the section
corner on the county line, south side of section 18 and 34 Range 13 east
thence East along the section line until it intersects the Ft. Wayne & Cold
Water Road.

We the viewers after viewing the Road unfavorable

Daniel Moody
John Brandon Viewers
Christian Sheets

Sep 1st 1857

No 1259 — Ordered that Daniel Moody, John Brandon & Christian Sheets be each
" 1277 — allowed the sum of Four & 00/100 Dollars for services as viewers of the above Road
" 1301 — as per bill filed with the above Report — and

Dec. 11. 1857 — Ordered that Daniel M. Wittenburg be allowed the sum of
No 1259 — Seven & 00/100 Dollars for services as Surveyor in viewing said for Road
as per bill filed with Report of Viewers last above mentioned and

No 1298 — Ordered that Jacob Case, John Palmer & Jacob Trimbly be
" 1302 — each allowed the sum of One Dollar for services as Chainmen and
" 1303 — markers on the Road for a Road as per bill filed with above Report

Lewis C. Britton, Millard Childs & Henry Willis. The persons appointed
to view a Road from the Township line between Union and Smithfield Township
thence west along said Township line to the state road leading from Auburn to
Smithfield Center now present their Report as such viewers, and on due
consideration the Board defer action on said Report until the next
regular session thereof.

60.75

$ 546.51

December Session A. D. 1857

$566.51

Ordered that Patrick McGarraty be allowed the sum of Twenty Five Dollars for taking care of Timothy McCarty a county pauper as per bills and allowed by the Poor Masters of Richland Township 25.00

Dec 18 1857 — Ordered That G. H. Ford be allowed the sum of Four & 50/100 Dollars
No 1135 — for services as Physician to Co. Asylum for quarter ending Dec 8. 1857 — 4.50
as per bill filed and sworn to

Dec 9/57 — Ordered that Gorig & Kesler be allowed the sum of Eight & 5/100 Dollars for Medical services rendered Jacob Saltzman a County Pauper as per bill allowed by Poor Masters of Union Township and filed in open session 8.05
No 1127

And the Board adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 8 O'clock A. M.

J. McGaughey
Jeremiah Hunsecker
Amzi Lady

Wednesday Morning December 9 1857. The Board met pursuant to adjournment & adjournment. present the same as yesterday.

Dec 11/57 — Ordered That Wesley Pugh be allowed the sum of Two & 4/100 Dollars 2.04
No 1197 — for Burial Clothes furnished for John Hile dec'd. as per bill filed and certified to by Sheriff

Dec 11 57 — And that Wesley Pugh be allowed the sum of Sixty Two cents
No 1195 — for Chamber Pot furnished for Co. Prison as per bill filed and certified 60
to by Sheriff

Dec 10 1857 — Ordered that James N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of
No 1170 — Four and 2/100 Dollars for Medical services rendered John Hile a criminal 4.25
who confined in jail as per bill filed and certified to by S. W. Kelton
Sheriff of Pickaway County

Dec 14/57 — Ordered That J. Evans be allowed the sum of Two Dollars for
No 1251 — Lock furnished for Court House as per bill filed and certified to by
Co. Agent

Dec 11 57 — Ordered That Jesse B Howard be allowed the sum of Two & 15/100
No 1175 — Dollars for services as Constable in case of State of Indiana vs John Hile
as per bill filed and certified to by J. S. Davis Esq.

6.92.01

December Session A.D. 1857

The Superintendent of the County Asylum now presents the following accounts all duly proven to be correct and unpaid and on due consideration order that they be allowed to wit:

Dec. 11 1857 No. 1064	Tilley Park for	goods for Co Asylum		£46.97
No 1235	James Grisdale,	Groceries " " "		10.41
No 1236	Sam. Sanders	Goods " " "		3.79
No 1237	G. D. Davis	Hardware " " "		1.07
No 1238	George Ensler	Lumber " " "		6.73
No 1251	Miriam Clark	Thrashing at " "		4.00
Dec. 11 1857	Wm. Prosser	Shingles " "		5.00
No 1262	Israel Shearer	for making Cistern " "		3.00
No 1242 Dec. 10 1857	Thomas Finney	" Blacksmithing " "		3.95
No 1193	Rebecca Moore	" Work at " "		6.97
No 1239 Dec. 10 1857	Mr Long	" Beef for " " (C. A.)		20.24
No 1195	W. Park	" Groceries " " " " "		19.63
Dec. 11 1857	[illegible] Tyle	" Work at " " " "		14.13
Dec. 11 1857	J. St. Lyon	" Services as Sprite insp. " " " "		10.00
Dec. 11 1857	" "	" " " " " " "		49.40
No 1240	E. Shearer	" Goods & Groceries for Co Asylum. (C. A.)		3.87
No 1260	John Parnell	Beef " " " " "		1.15

Dec. 11 1857 No. 1193 Ordered that S. H. Ralston be allowed the sum of Ten Dollars for attending on John Hill dead during illness in gaol, and for washing Body and cleaning out gaol after his Death as per bill filed and certified to

Dec. 11 1857 No. 1217 Ordered that Jesse B. Howard be allowed the sum of Two & Five Dollars for services as Constable in Inquest on the Body of John Hill as per bill filed and certified to.

The Clerk of the Circuit Court now presents a certified statement of the amounts due the several Returning Judges, for making returns of the Oct. Election 1857 and on due consideration allow the said amounts to wit

No 1304	John S. Coburn	1 day & 58 miles	£2.12	John J. Ling	1 day & 20 miles (No 1200)	1.80
" 1305	Nathan Fuller	1 " & 30 "	2.20	William Co	1 " " 16 (No 1211)	1.64
" 1306	Frederick Kaufman	1 " " 30 "	2.20	George Ellis	1 " " 26 (No 1212)	2.04
" 1307	Edgar Freeman	1 " " 20 "	1.80	Timothy McClure	1 " " 34 (No 1213)	2.36
" 1308	Jesse Bowman	1 " " 10 "	1.40	James McClellan	1 " " 6 (No 1214)	1.24
No 1212	Washington Estes	1 " " 8 "	1.32			

Dec. 11 1857 No. 1261 Ordered that J. H. Chamberlain, A. Gourley J. H. Cox, Eli Shearer, J. B. Howard James Eaton, J. H. Sims, S. Smith & S. H. Ralston in each allowed the sum of Fifty cents for services as Witnesses in case of Inquest on the body of John Hill as per bill filed and certified to. £2.0.0

December Session A.D. 1887

840.59

Joseph Nichols
Stephen Sumner
Wm. H. Pierce
John Hamilton
vs.
The Board of Trustees of Franklin Township

Appeal from the Board of Trustees of Franklin Township to Board of Commissioners of Pulaski

Comes now the parties to the above cause by their Attorneys, and ask for a continuance, which the Board on due consideration, grant, and defer the hearing of the same until the March session of the Board 1888

Dec 10 1887
No 1159

Ordered That James N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of Five dollars for performing Post Mortem examination on the body of John Hill as per bill filed and certified to $5.00

Ordered That J. Davis be allowed the several amounts in the following State cases for his services as Justice of the Peace as per bills filed and certified to. viz:

Dec 14. 87
No 1282

State of Indiana
vs.
William Patrick
For passing Counterfeit money $2.85

Dec 14. 87
No 1283

State of Indiana
vs.
Joseph Hall
For passing Counterfeit Money $2.45

Dec 14 1887
No 1284

State of Indiana
vs.
Robert Hovey
For passing Counterfeit Money $3.35

Dec 14 87
No 1285

State of Indiana
vs.
John Hill
For passing Counterfeit Money $2.82

Ordered That W. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Ninety four & 64/100 Dollars for services as Auditor and such advancement as per bill filed and certified to

Dec 10 1887
Nos. 1171, 1173

And that W. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Ninety nine dollars for extra services as Auditor, Copying Track Book in part and making out List of delinquents for 1887 as per bills filed and certified to.

And the Board adjourned to meet to morrow morning at 8 o'clock A. M.

D. M. Goldsberry
Jeremiah Hemstreet
Amzi Seely

December Session A. D. 1857

Thursday Morning December 10. A.D. 1857 Board met pursuant to adjournment, present the same as yesterday.

Dec. 11. 1857 No 1189 — Ordered That C. Griswold be allowed the sum of One and 40/100 for cash advanced for Candles and shoffing wood as per bill filed and certified to.

Dec 11. 1857 No. 1191. — Ordered That J. D. Davis be allowed the sum of Seven & 00/100 Dollars for one Casket Parlor Stove furnished County Asylum as per bill filed and proven

Dec. 11. 1857 No 1184 — Ordered That S. M. Ralston be allowed the sum of Sixty Dollars for summoning Grand and Petit jurors for November Term of Circuit of 1857 as per bill filed and certified to.

Dec 10. 1857 No 1185 — Ordered that S. M. Ralston be allowed the sum of Twenty five Dollars for extra services as Sheriff for quarter ending Dec 1. 1857 as per bill filed and certified to.

Dec. 10 1857 Nos 1182 = 1190 — The Co. Auditor now presents his charge for balances on making Duplicate of Taxes for 1857 amounting to One hundred & Sixty eight & 00/100 Dollars, which account being duly certified to, the Board allow

Dec. 11. 1857 No 1186 — Ordered That S. M. Ralston be allowed the sum of Twenty Dollars for summoning Jury and attending October Term of Court of Common Pleas for 1857 as per bill and certified to.

Dec. 11. 1857 No. 1188 — Ordered That S. M. Ralston be allowed the sum of Nine Dollars for issuing Subpoenas in case of State vs John Hill for boarding and washing for said Hill while in Prison and for shirt furnished said Hill as per bill filed and certified to

Dec. 11. 1857 No. 1187 — Ordered That S. M. Ralston be allowed the sum of Two Dollars for issuing notice on Road viewers as per bill filed and certified to

Dec 11. 1857 No 1188 — Ordered That S. M. Ralston be allowed the sum of Eight Dollars for attending Board of Commissioners at Dec T. 1857 as per bill filed

Dec. 11. 1857 No 1192 — T. R. Dickinson now presents to the board a bill of Five Dollars for prosecuting John Hill (charged with passing Counterfeit Money) before U. S. Court, and on due consideration the Board allow Two & 50/100 Dollars on said Bill

December Session A. D. 1857

A. Blaker now presents a bill against the County amounting to Nine Dollars for Boarding Silden Dyer and the Constable who arrested him, and also for a Room furnished said Dyer and Constable; and after mature deliberation the Board refuse to allow said Bill

Ordered that M. C. Price be allowed the sum of Seven Dollars for services as Auditor at December Session of Board of Commissioners of 1857 as per his file

examined Dec 10 1857

Ordered that James M. Gotcheus, Jeremiah Hemstreet and Amzi Seely be each allowed the sum of Twelve Dollars for services as Commissioners at the Session 1857

And the Board adjourned to meet on the first Monday of March 1858 J. M. Gotcheus

Jeremiah Hemstreet

Amzi Seely

Vacation between December & March 1857

Appointment of Henry Sherlock Assessor of Richland Twp.

Be it known that on the 10th day of December A.D. 1857 I appointed Henry Sherlock Assessor of Richland Township to fill a vacancy occasioned by the resignation of John Shaw to serve until the October election of A.D. 1858 and until his successor is elected and qualifies and also that I made out and delivered to said Sherlock a certificate of appointment. Witness my hand and seal this 10th day of Dec. 1857

M. F. Pierce Auditor Dekalb Co.

State of Indiana
Dekalb County ss. I hereby certify that Henry Sherlock the person appointed to the office of Township Assessor of Richland Township presented to me an official bond in the penal sum of One Thousand Dollars for the faithful performance of his duties as said Assessor which bond was duly approved and filed in my office.

Witness my hand and seal this 10th day of December 1857

M. F. Pierce, Auditor

March Term A. D. 1858.

The Board of Commissioners in and for DeKalb County in pursuance of Law met at the Court House in Auburn said County on Monday the First day of March A. D 1858.— Present Their Hons. James M. Pottenger, Jeremiah Hemstreet and Amzi Neely, Commissioners of said County. M. F. Pierce, Auditor of said County and Clerk of said Board. and A. W. Ralston Sheriff of said County:

Jacob North The Board being fully advised in the premises, order that Jacob North be allowed the sum of Twenty Seven dollars & Fifty cents for Boarding and lodging Joana Hile a County charge as per bill filed and certified to by the Trustees of Wilmington Township 27.50

The Board further order that the firm of Rex & Neally be allowed the sum of Two dollars and Four cents for Groceries furnished Silen Rose a County charge as per bill filed and certified to by the Trustees of Stafford Township 2.04

Ordered by the Board that Thomas Weldon be allowed the sum of One dollar and Fifty cents for repairing door on County Prison and One door in Court House as per bill filed and attested by Sheriff of County 1.50

The Board now proceed to select Twelve suitable persons to serve as Grand Jurors for the Spring Term of DeKalb Circuit Court, and having selected the names of Sixty persons being five names from each civil Township in said County from the Tax Duplicate of 1857, which persons possess the necessary qualifications for Grand Jurors, and which names being written on separate slips of paper, and placed in a box prepared for the purpose the Clerk of the Circuit Court in the presence of the Board Commissioners drew by lot the following names to serve as Grand Jurors at the April Term of said Court for the year 1858 to wit:

1	Joseph M. Robbins.	Butler.	Frederick Huffman.	Stafford	Jesse M. Brandebeck	Fairfield
2	James McClellan	Jackson.	James Likens	Wilmington	Moses Butler	Smithfield
3	Bushrod Catlin	Concord.	John Davis	Union	Thomas Mooney	Franklin
4	Henry Fiesleman	Newville.	Lyman Green	Richland	Timothy McClure	Troy

And in like manner as above Twelve suitable persons were elected as Grand Jurors for the Fall Term of DeKalb Court, to wit:

1	George Ensley	Butler	5	W. R. Chilson.	Stafford	9	Jacob C. Smith
2	Joseph Woolsey	Jackson	6	Edgar Freman	Wilmington	10	Joshua Kelly
3	Jacob Dils	Concord	7	John Summers	Union	11	George Bland
4	Enoch Mosly	Newville	8	Henry Sherlock	Richland Wilmington	12	Amos Stearns

Fairfield
Smithfield
Franklin
Troy

Ordered that Joel E. Thomson be allowed the sum of Five dollars for services superintending Bridges as per bill filed and certified to. 5.00

160.4

March Term A. D. 1858

Journal March 2nd 1858 Ordered That G. C. McGonigal be allowed the sum of Fifty Nine Dollars for advertising notice of Redemption of Exempt Orders, printing Forty reams of Treasurers Receipts and Six reams of Blanks for Clerk as per bill filed and attested by the Treasurer and Clerk of County

The Board being fully advised in the premises now confirm the appointment of Henry Sherlock assessor of Richland Township March 1, 58 which appointment was made by the Auditor in December last

And the Board adjourned, to meet tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

P. M. Leatherman
Jeremiah Hemstreet
Amzi Seely

Tuesday Morning March 2nd A. D. 1858 Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday
The Record of yesterday was read by the Auditor and approved by the Commissioners

Journal March 5 1858 Ordered That Jacob Helwig be allowed the sum of Five Dollars and Twenty five cents for mileage paid Justices of the Peace for making returns of fines in State cases as per bill filed and attested

Journal March 5th 1858 And That Jacob Helwig be allowed the sum of Five Dollars for cash paid for securing safe in the Treasurers office, as per bill filed and attested

Journal March 5th 1858 And That Jacob Helwig be allowed the sum of Two Dollars and Fifty cents for cash paid for Gobe Pen for Treasurers Office as per bill filed and attested,

Journal March 5th 1858 And That Jacob Helwig be allowed the sum of Two Dollars and Fifty Seventy-five cents for cash paid for chopping wood for Treasurers and Recorders offices as per bill filed and attested

Journal March 5th 1858 And That Jacob Helwig be allowed the sum of Twenty cents for cash paid on freight as per bill filed and attested.

Journal March 5 1858 Ordered That Samuel Pankhead be allowed the sum of Two Dollars for services rendered by carrying Sarah Finch a county charge to the County Asylum as per bill filed and certified to be correct by Township Trustee of Crescent Township

March Term A. L. 1838 Con.

The following accounts against the County Asylum, and for the relief of the Poor of DeKalb County, duly authenticated by the superintendant of the County Asylum by his Certificate being attached to each seperate claim, were presented to the Board, and on due consideration the Board allow the same, to wit:

	To	Wesley Park	for goods for Co Asylum		$37.25
"	"	Jo. D. Davis	" Tending " " "		39.41
"	"	Moses Lockwood	" Hogs " " Farm		15.33
"	"	George Easley	" Lumber " " "		28.33
"	"	Maj. E. J. Earnahan	" Work at " Asylum		5.00
"	"	Henry Knoll	" Carpentering " "		5.00
"	"	Jno. W. Stahl	" Tailoring at " "		6.13
"	"	Sam. Sanders	" Dry Goods for Co "		6.38
"	"	S. B. Ward	" Boots & Shoes for Co "		4.98
"	"	James Disinold	" Groceries " " "		4.71
"	"	J. & R. Ellenger	" Setting Chairs " " "		4.00
"	"	Geo. Waggoner	" Groceries " " "		3.12
"	"	Thos Penney	" Blacksmithing " " "		2.56
"	"	V. Mason	" Groceries " " "		1.90
"	"	James Reynolds	" bal on Hog " " "		1.50
"	"	Wesley Park	" Pork & Flour " " " (E. A.)		20.45
"	"	J. N. Lyon	" for Sun as Supt " " " Supt (" ")		7.00
"	"	J. N. Lyon	" " " " " " " " "		63.49

Ordered That Wyllys Prescott be allowed the sum of Seventy five cents for Lumber furnished for Repairing Bridge across Coden Creek near Auburn Dan Yeoes, as per bill filed and attested by the superintendant of said Bridge

Ordered That S. W. Sprott be allowed the sum of Twenty-five Dollars for Extra services as Clerk for quarter ending March 1st 1838 as per bill filed and certified to

Ordered That W. C. McGonigal be allowed the sum of Two dollars and fifty cents for prosecuting McClung a criminal as per bill filed and proven to.

Union Twp. Rd. 1858

A Petition signed by diers citizens of Union and Wilmington Townships were presented to the Board, asking for the appointment of viewers to view and mark a road for a road. Said petition is in words as follows to wit:

Copies issued Mar. 12 1858

"To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County, Ind:

"The undersigned citizens of Union and Wilmington Townships, said County, "would be greatly benefitted by having a highway located and opened on the "Township line between Union and Wilmington Townships commencing at "the south west corner of ~~Section~~ north west quarter of Section Thirty in "Wilmington Township and the South east corner of the south east quarter of "Section Twenty five in Union Township, Thence North on the said Town= "ship line to the North line of Section Thirty in Wilmington Township and "the South line of Section Twenty five in Union Township — distance One half "of a mile; said road will pass through or touch upon lands owned by "Henry Eastburn, John A. Craig, Jacob Bowers and James Trailor."

"Your petitioners would therefore pray your Hon Body to appoint viewers to view mark and locate said road on said Townships line or as near thereto as practicable, The public would be much benefited thereby and for the granting of which your petitioners ever pray.

On due consideration of the premises the Board appoint William Brown S. Ingman and John Long viewers to view and mark a road for the above Road.

The following petition signed by diers citizens of Butler and Jackson Townships

Copies issued March 2, 1858

was presented to the Board to wit:

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County, Indiana. The undersigned citizens of said county would humbly represent that they labor under great inconvenience for want of a road, to commence at the South east corner of the south west quarter of Section one, on at the quarter Stake in the south line of section one in Butler Township, Thence east nearly along said south line of section one to the Township line between Butler and Jackson Township Thence in the same direction on the south line of section six in Jackson Township, until it strikes the Ft Wayne and Cold Water State road, said road will pass through or touch lands ~~owned by~~ belonging to Samuel M. Spurk, John Eyrle William Eyrle John Eitner Henry Eitner & Jonathan Everleys Heirs. We would therefore pray your honorable body to appoint viewers to view and locate a county road of the usual width on the above described road or as near thereto as practicable.

When on due consideration the Board grant the said petition and appoint Alonzo Lockwood George Smith and Samuel Lidge viewers to view and mark a road for said road.

March Term A. D. 1858

Issued March 5 1858 No. 1457 Ordered That J. H. Ford be allowed the sum of Seven Dollars for Services as County Physician for quarter ending March 1 1858 as per account filed and ~~sworn~~ sworn

Issued March 5 1858 Ordered That J. K. Davis be allowed the sum of Three dollars and Seven cents for glass, candlesticks Pincers &c. as per bill filed and certified to by the Sheriff

Issued March 5 1858 And that J. K. Davis be allowed the sum of One Dollar and Sixty Three cent for Lock and Candlesticks furnished Auditors Office as per bill filed and attested by Co Auditor

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock

C. McGoldrick
Jeremiah Flemsbeck
Atty's Clerk

Wednesday morning March 3. 1858 - Board met pursuant to adjournment - present the same as yesterday

Issued March 3 1858 No 1470 Ordered That Timothy K. McClure be allowed the sum of Two Dollars and Four cents for making return of Election of J. P. in Bray Twp for 1857 as per Certificate of Clk J. D. C. C. on file

Mar. 5. 1858 No. 1415 Ordered That H. K. Viles be allowed the sum of Five Dollars for prosecuting Huffman and Hampshire as per bill filed and proved

Issued No 1411-3 March 5 1858 Ordered That J. & R. Ettinger be allowed the sum of Six Dollar for making Book case for Treasurers Office as per bill filed and attested by Co Treasurer

Issued March 5th 1858 No 1479-80-1482 Ordered that Joseph M. Robbins be allowed the sum of Fifteen Dollars for Fifteen ~~Dollars~~ Cents of Wood as per bill filed and Certified to be correct by the Clerk of Courts

Copies issued March 8 58 The Board being fully advised in the premises now proceed to appoint three persons to serve as School Examiners for the year ending March 1 1859. and after mature deliberation appoint William C. McGonigal, Mellon Fleres and Sylvester Fetzner said examiners, and the Board recommend and advise said examiners to hold at least one public examination in each Commissioners district during the year.

March Term A. D. 1858

Joseph Frisbee
Stephen Turner
Wm N Dinsmore &
John Rowlett
vs.
The Board of Trustees of Franklin Township

Appeal from the Board of Trustees of Franklin Township, to the Board of ~~Trustees~~ Commissioners.
Continued from December Term of the Board of Commissioners 1857

Come now the Parties in the above Case by the Attorneys and the Attorney for the Appellants moved to ~~do~~ reverse the decision of the Trustees in the above case, on account of the insufficiency of the original petition. Said motion was withdrawn and a motion made by the appellants to reverse the decision of the Board of Trustees on account of the irregularity of the proceedings, in that not having been legal notice given of the presentation of the petition to the Trustees ~~The attorney for the defendant~~ also moved to on the same grounds to dismiss the appeal ~~which motion was overruled and such~~ for the Defendants which latter motion was sustained. The Attorney gave notice, ~~gave notice~~ that an appeal would be taken.

The Board order and decide that the Road petitioned for in this case is not located, and it is further ordered that the costs in said case be and is adjudged to the Petitioners.

And the Board adjourned to meet to morrow morning at 8 o'clock A.M.

T. McGatching
Jeremiah Hensbrett
Attest Seitz

Thursday Morning March 4th 1858. Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

March 6, '58 Ordered that E. W. Ralston be allowed the sum of Eighteen
Collect. 1402 Dollars and fifty cents for cash advanced when procuring G. V.
" 1403 Hampshire, a Criminal as per bill filed and proven.

Feb 8, 1858 Ordered that M. T. Pierce allowed the sum of One hundred &
Collect. 1502, 1503 and forty seven Dollars, for services as County Auditor, making Assessment
" 1504 roll for 1858 &c, as per bill filed and certified to

Issued March Ordered that John Butt be allowed the sum of Four Dollars and
1858 Collect. 1501 Seventy cents for Candles furnished County as per bill filed and certified
To J. Co. Auditor.

March 4, 1858 Ordered that Isaac Brandt be allowed the sum of Twenty One
Collect. 1505 Dollars & Thirty five cents for cash advanced for expenses paid visiting in
pursuit of Isaac Huffman a criminal as per bill filed and proven.

March Term A. D. 1858

Mar 5/58 No 411, 1412 1413 & 1414 Ordered That William H. Hill be allowed the sum of Twenty Dollars & Eighty Three cents for cash advanced on expenses while in pursuit of Isaac Huffman a fugitive from justice as per bill filed and proven

Lewis D. Brittain, Willard Childs and Henry Wills, the persons appointed to view and mark a road for a road, submit the following report to wit

"To the Hon Board of Commissioners of Pickaway County:

Given Mar 12 1858 "We the undersigned viewers appointed to view and mark a road commencing on the Township line between Union and Smithfield Townships at the State road leading from Auburn to Thompsons Mills, thence westwardly along said Township line to the State road leading from Auburn to Pinfield Centre; being duly sworn proceeded to view and mark said road, and we consider said road to be of public utility. The width of said road to be forty feet

Given under our hands this 30th day of October 1857

Lewis D. Brittain
Willard Childs
Henry Wills

Ordered That the above report be accepted and said road be established, and That Lewis D Brittain be allowed the sum of Eleven Mar 12 1858 Dollars for services as viewer on said road and for making return of No 1687, 1687 said report, and That Willard Childs and Henry Wills be each J 1688 allowed the sum of One Dollar ~~fifty cents~~ for services as viewers on said road

March 9 1858 No 1665 Ordered That John Leighty be allowed the sum of Two Dollars for services as Road viewer two days as per bill filed and proven

No 1680 Ordered That Jim F. Brown be allowed the sum of Twenty Nine Dollars for ~~Books and~~ Stationery furnished county as per bills filed and certified to by Clerk of C. Court

No 1681 Ordered That C L Hill be allowed the sum of Nineteen Dollars & fifty cents for Books and Stationery furnished County as per bill filed and certified to

March 6 58 Nos 1435. Ordered That Nelson Pierce be allowed the sum of Forty Eight Dollars for services as County Auditor Recording Indictments and discharged Fines &c, as per bills filed and certified to.

March Term 1858 Con.

Constitutional 6th 1858 Ordered That Comr Lacy be allowed the sum of Five Dollars and Fifty Cents for services as Superintendent of Bridge as per bill filed

Ordered That J. D. Davis be allowed the sum of Six Dollars and Ninety cents for services as Jr. P. & in State cases, to wit: State of Indiana vs. Joseph H. Hampshire and State of Indiana vs. J. McClung as per bills filed and proven

March 10 1858 No 1452 Ordered That Silas B. Howard be allowed the sum of Two Dollars & Thirty Five cents for services as constable in case of State of Indiana vs. J. McClung as per bill filed and proven.

March 11, 1858 No 1452 Ordered That Shultz & Braden be allowed the sum of Nine dollars and fifty cents for Poll Books and Tally Papers for Spring elections of DeKalb County for 1858 as per bill filed and proved.

Ordered That M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Eighty Six Dollars and Sixty Five cents for issuing County orders, Certificates filing Papers &c &c. as per bill filed and certified to.

Ordered That S. W. Ralston be allowed the sum of Twenty five Dollars for Extra Service as Sheriff as per bill filed and certified to

The Constitution and By Laws of a Horse Thief Detecting Society Recorded March 8 1858 known as the "Union Regulators" was now presented to the Board for approval, and after mature deliberation the Board approve the said constitution and By Laws and recognize the existence of said organization

And the Board adjourned, to meet to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock

S. McCutchins
Jeremiah Hemstreet
Comrs Lacy

Friday Morning March 5th A.D. 1858. Board met pursuant to adjournment. present the same as yesterday

Ordered That S. W. Ralston be and he is hereby appointed an agent for the Board of Commissioners to take charge of the County Jail and Records 3.24 Public Square, the Court House, and County Offices, to keep the same in repair and to make such improvements as the interest of the County may require. To serve as such agent for one year.

March Term A. D. 1858 Continued.

March 1858 Ordered That the sum of Three hundred Dollars be and is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of a Bridge across Twenty Six mile creek near Danville, on the Road leading from Ft Irwine to Clarksville. The above amount is appropriated provided the citizens of that vicinity will, with said amount complete a good and substantial Bridge at said place, and not otherwise, The amount to be expended under the supervision of Angus Daly and Philander Smith and not to be drawn for until said Bridge is entirely completed.

Recorded Mar 6. 1858 The Constitution and By Laws of a Horse Thief Detecting Society known as the "Richland Rangers" was now presented to the Board for approval, and after mature deliberation the Board approve said Constitution and By-Laws and recognize the existence of said society

Ordered That S. W. Ralston be allowed the sum of Thirty Dollars and Forty cents for commuting and Boarding prisoners as per bill filed and certified to

And that S. W. Ralston be allowed the sum of Four Dollars & Twenty five cents extra for furnishing jail and Court House as per bill filed and certified to

1446 3:1054 And that S. W. Ralston be allowed the sum of Forty Dollars for summoning jurors and attending courts as per bill filed and certified to

Ordered That M. T. Pierce be allowed the sum of Thirty Dollars & Sixty nine cents for three services as Auditor and one per cent collected for County as per bill filed and certified to

Same March 1858 Ordered that E. B. Gutteth be allowed the sum of Twenty Five Dollars & Fifty cents for 18 cords of wood furnished County as per bill filed and certified to by Co Agents.

Clerk's Comm March 6 1858 Ordered That George A. Wade of Concord Township be released from the payment of a Poll Tax so long as his parents shall continue disabled and it is ordered that the Auditor notify said Wade of the fact.

March 8 58 Ordered That M. T. Pierce be allowed the sum of Five Dollars and Eighty Cents for 3 services as County Auditor at March Term of Board of Commissioners as per bill filed and proven

Ordered 2nd March 8th 1858 Ordered That C. C. A. Beyer be allowed the sum of Five Dollars for one wolf Scalp Bay creek furnished Recorders Office as per bill presented

March Term A. D. 1858

Ordered that James M. Gatchell Jeremiah Hemstreet and Amzi Seely be each allowed the sum of Fifteen Dollars for services as Commissioners at March Term A. D. 1858

And the Board adjourned

James M. Gatchell
Jeremiah Hemstreet
Amzi Seely

Vacation between March and June Terms 1858

Be it known, that on this the 5th day of March A.D. 1858, I sold at Public Auction at the Door of the Court House in the Town of Auburn, DeKalb Co. Ind. Legal notice thereof having been given the following described tract of land to wit:

Commencing three and one half rods north of the Stake in the centre of Section No Three Four, 34) Town ship Forty Four (34) North of Range No Fourteen (14) east in DeKalb County and State of Indiana. Thence west thirty four (34) rods to the centre of Maumee Bend & Gonesville State Road, thence South along the centre of said road to the Goshen & Defiance State Road, thence west along the center of said Goshen and Defiance State. Twenty-five & one half rods, thence south to the south line of said Section, thence east to the quarter post in said section, thence north to the place of beginning, containing Forty three acres and Twenty five hundredths except one fourth of an acre, in the corner where said roads connect, Which land was sold to Henry Fusselman and Royce Coats for the sum of Four hundred and six dollars; Said land having been forfeited to the State of Indiana for the non payment of interest that had accrued on a Mortgage on said lands given to secure the payment of Two hundred & Forty dollars of Congressional School fund.

Be it further known that the said Henry Fusselman and Royce Coats were the highest and best bidders and that the full amount of principal interest damages and costs were duly paid by them. That

Witness my hand and seal this 5th. day of March 1858

Milton V. Pierce, Auditor
DeKalb County

Vacation Term March and June Sessions 1858

Deed for School Land
Auditor DeKalb County
to
Fuselman & Coats
Recorded
March 17 1858

This Indenture, Henry Fuselman and Joyce Coats have paid the full sum of Three hundred ~~Dollars~~ and Six Dollars and Eighty four cents in full for the principal, interest, costs, damages and charges due on the following described tract of land to wit

Commencing Three and one half rods north of the Stake in the centre of Section Thirty four (34) Town Four (4) North of Range No Fourteen East, in the County of DeKalb and State of Indiana. Thence one Thirty four rods to the centre of Maumee Island and Juneville State Road. Thence South along the centre of said Road to the Goshen and Defiance State Road. Thence West along the centre of said Goshen and Defiance State Road Twenty five and one half Rods, thence South to the South line of said Section, thence East to the quarter post in said Section thence North to the place of beginning, containing Forty three acres and Seventy five hundredths (43 75/100) be the same more or less, save and except Twenty six hundredths of an acre at the corner, where the ~~Juneville~~ Maumee Island and Juneville State Road intersects the Goshen and Defiance State Road on east side of the former and north side of the latter.

Which land was on the 26th day of December A.D, 1848, mortgaged to the State of Indiana to secure the payment of Two hundred and Sixty Dollars of the Congressional School funds of DeKalb County, bearing interest at the rate of seven per cent per annum, and default having been made in the payment of said interest in accordance with the statutes in such cases made and provided, by reason of which the whole amount became due and payable, and was on the Sixth day of March 1854 legal notice thereof having been given sold at public auction at the door of the Court House, in said County to the said Henry Fuselman and Joyce Coats

Now, know ye: that for and in consideration of the premises, and in conformity with the statute in such cases made and provided that I, Milton F Pierce Auditor in and for the county of DeKalb and State of Indiana, for and in the name of the inhabitants of Congressional township No Thirty four (34) North of Range No Fourteen (14) east in said County do give and grant the above described tract of land to the said Henry Fuselmen and Joyce Coats to them heirs and assigns forever in as full and ample manner as I am empowered by law to do the same. In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said DeKalb County This 17th day of March 1858

Milton F Pierce Auditor
DeKalb Co

State of Indiana }
DeKalb County } SS Personally appeared before me, the undersigned a Notary Public in and for said County Milton F Pierce Auditor of said County and acknowledged that he as such auditor signed and sealed the foregoing deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 17th day of March 1858

W E McGonigal Notary Public

March Special Session 1868

Friday March 10th A.D. 1868. The Board of Commissioners in and for DeKalb County, met at the Court House in said County, pursuant to a notice issued to said Board by the Auditor of said County, in compliance with "An act authorizing the County Auditor to call a special term of the Board of County Commissioners whenever the interests of the County may demand it." "Approved Feb. 2. 1853." Present Their Honors James M. Gotschins. Jeremiah Hemstreet and Amzi Seely, Commissioners of said County, M.V. Price Auditor and Clerk of Board and S. M. Ralston Sheriff of said County

It appearing from the summons issued by said Auditor to the said Commissioners that the object of this Session is to lease the County Poor Farm to some suitable persons, the Board proceeded to open and examine certain sealed proposals from sundry persons to lease said farm: and after having opened and examined the several proposals and duly considered the same, do agree to accept the proposal made by Peter Barnhart. and

Ordered

That Peter Barnhart be and he is hereby chosen to superintend the County Poor Farm, until the first day of March 1869. commencing the first day of April 1868: for which service he shall receive the sum of Two hundred ~~Dollars~~ and fifty dollars.

Ordered That S. M. Ralston be allowed the sum of Three Dollars and Fifty cents for serving summons on Commissioners, as per bill filed.

And That S. M. Ralston be allowed the sum of Two Dollars for attending Board of Commissioners at present session

Ordered that James M. Gotschins, Jeremiah Hemstreet and Amzi Seely be each allowed the sum of Three Dollars for service as Commissioners at present Term, and the Board adjourned

J. M. Gotschins
Jeremiah Hemstreet
Amzi Seely

June Session A. D. 1858

Monday June 7th A. D. 1858. The Board of Commissioners in and for DeKalb County in pursuance of law met at the Court House in said County. Present their Hons. James M. Gortschius. Jeremiah Hemstreet and Amzi Seely. Commissioners. M. F. Pierce. Auditor of said County and Clerk of said Board. and S. W. Ralston Sheriff of said County.

At the same time and place met the Board of Equalization of said County, present as members of said Board. James M. Gortschius. Jeremiah Hemstreet & Amzi Seely Commissioners. M. F. Pierce Auditor. and the following named Assessors. Joseph Walter. Thaddeus Crocker Isaac Ritzner, Henry Sherlock. Henry Ernest. John Schrantz. E. H. Taylor John Dills. O. C. Clark and Wm. Matthews. James Cather & Jno. McCurdy.

And the Board of Equalization proceeded to business

Solomon Branderberry presents a complaint to the Board and asks that an Assessment made against him as an agent of one Daniel Hamman for Two hundred and Twenty Five Dollars ($225) be released setting forth in said complaint. That the said amount was on the 1st day of July 1857 invested in land in the State of Ohio. and after mature deliberation the Board, on motion released said Assessment

Joshua Kelly presents a complaint to the Board and asks that that a portion of the Assessment made against him for 1858 be released It appearing from the assessment roll that the amount of said assessment is ($10.329) and after mature deliberation the Board, on motion, release ($3.279) of said assessment.

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 8 O'clock

J. M. Gortschius Com.
Jeremiah Hemstreet missioners
Amzi Seely
M. F. Pierce Auditor.

O. C. Clark Joseph Walter W. H. Dobson for J. W. Dobson T. J. Crocker
Isaac Cather Wm. Matthews Isaac Ritzner Henry Sherlock
Henry Ernest John Schrantz E. H. Taylor John McCurdy

Tuesday Morning June 8th 1858. The Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday. The record of the proceedings of yesterday was read and approved

June Session A. D. 1838 Continued

The Board of Equalization having heard and determined all complaints and transacted all business before them on motion adjourned.

W. M. Gotschins } Com-
Jeremiah Hemstreet } missioners
Amos Seely } on
M. F. Pierce Auditor

O. C. Clark Joseph Walter Wm. Wiles for W. & E. S. Rec'd.
James Cather Wm. Mathews Isaac Kutzner Henry Shenck
Henry Ernest John Schrantz E. H. Taylor John McCurdy

The Board of Commissioners being in session the Several Assessors now presents their bills for assessing the Revenue for 1838, which bills being duly authenticated the Board allow the same as follows: to wit

50	O. C. Clark	for assessing	Butler Township	37.50
"	Joseph Walter	" "	Jackson "	30.00
"	John W. Wiles	" "	Concord "	51.00
"	E. S. Cracken	" "	Summit "	30.00
"	James Cather	" "	Slippery Rock "	28.50
"	Wm Mathews	" "	Wilmington "	25.75
"	Isaac Kutzner	" "	Union "	51.00
"	Henry Shenck	" "	Richland "	46.50
"	Henry Ernest	" "	Fairfield "	30.75
"	John Schrantz	" "	Smithfield "	36.50
"	E. H Taylor	" "	Franklin "	36.00
"	John McCurdy	" "	Bay	24.00
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June 14. 1838 Ordered That James N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of Ten and 25/100 Dollars for Medical Services rendered Johanna Hile a County Charge as per bill filed and certified to by Trustees of Wilmington Township

Ordered That Sala Smith be allowed the sum of Two and 50 Dollars per Medical services rendered Sarah Voss, an inmate of the County Asylum as per bill filed and sworn to

"Doctor" M. F. Clayton now presents to the Board an account for Medical Services rendered one Mrs Franklin (a poor person) which account was certified to be correct by the Trustees of Concord Township, and on due consideration the Board allow said account the same amounting to Ten Dollars.

June Session A. D. 1858 Continued

June 14 1858 No 1855 and 1856 Ordered that Eli Miller be allowed the sum of Forty nine 97/100 Dollars for putting roof on Barn at the Asylum and finding Shingles for same as per bill filed and certified to by the Agent

June 8. 1858 No 1850 Ordered that Anthony Myer be allowed the sum of Two 25/100 Dollars for Irons furnished for Gaol Door as per bill filed and certified to by County Agent

July 3. 1858 No 1816 Ordered that M. L. Rhodes be allowed the sum of Two 25/100 Dollars for 30 1/3 yds. of Sheetings as per bill filed and certified to by County Agent.

Ordered that there be one Dollar refunded to John Houlton for amount of poll tax paid by him for 1857 which tax the Board are satisfied was illegal

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at Eight O'Clock.

O. C. C. Gotschey
Jeremiah Heustis
Amzi Selby

Wednesday, June 9th A. D. 1858. Board met at 1 o'clock P. M. having spent the forenoon at the County Asylum, in examining the Farm Buildings &c.

Aug. 28. 1858 No. 1903 Ordered that Jerome Reynolds be allowed the sum of One 25/100 Dollars for making Ballot Box for Fairfield Township as per Bill filed and to by Trustees of Fairfield Township

June 12 1858 No 1885 Ordered James Goore be allowed the sum of Two Dollars for making Ballot Box for Wilmington Township as per Bill filed and certified to by Trustees of Wilmington Township

June 4 1858 No [illegible] Ordered that S. M. Sprott be allowed the sum of Twenty Seven Dollars for Extra Service as Clerk and for cash advanced as per bill filed and certified to

2352 Ordered that Joseph E. Shilling be allowed the sum of One and 24/100 Dollars for making return of Elections for Concord Township as per certificate of Clerk of Circuit Court.

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Ordered that N. S. Fuller be allowed the sum of Two and 12/100 Dollars for making return of Election for Newville Township as per Certificate of Clerk of Circuit Court

And that Andrew Baker be allowed the sum of Two and 12/100 Dollars for making return of Election for Franklin Township as per Certificate of Circuit Court

Ordered that J. N. Lyon be allowed the sum of Nineteen & 83/100 Dollars ballance due for superintending County Asylum. as per bill filed and certified to.

And that Wesley Park be allowed the sum of Sixteen and 4/100 Dollars for goods and groceries furnished County Asylum as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent

And that Miss E. J. Carnahan be allowed the sum of Five & 62/100 for labor at County Asylum as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent of County Asylum

And that J. D. Davis be allowed the sum of Five & 14/100 Dollars for Pen Ware furnished H. Knott for work done at Poor House as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent of County Asylum.

And that George Wagoner be allowed the sum of Two and 70/100 Dollars for Groceries furnished County Asylum as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent of County Asylum.

And that E. B. Ward be allowed the sum of One and 5/100 Dollars for Boots & Shoes furnished County Asylum as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent of County Asylum

And that Robert Work be allowed the sum of One Dollar for Work done at County Asylum as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent of County Asylum

And that R. F. Woods be allowed the sum of 50/100 Dollars for Work done at County Asylum as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent of County Asylum.

The Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 8 O'clock

T. McGoldrick
Jeremiah Henstreet
Attest Saly

June Session A. D. 1858

Thursday Morning June 10th A. D. 1858. Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

Order issued June 14. 1858 No 1715

Ordered that E. H. Ford be allowed the sum of Ten Dollars for Medical Services rendered Johanna Hile a poor person. as per bill allowed by Trustees of Wilmington Township and filed in open session

Order issued June 14. 1858 No 1714

Ordered that John Pyle be allowed the sum of Fifteen and $\frac{20}{100}$ Dollars for services as Constable in case of State of Indiana vs Ewen McPherson Imp action of Perjury, as per bill filed and certified to by Daniel Attenburg who was an acting justice of the peace at the time said services were rendered. and before whom said case was tried.

June 15. 1858 No 1734

And that J. D. Davis be allowed the sum of $\frac{75}{100}$ Dollars for Ash Bucket furnished Clerks Office as per bill filed and certified to by Clerk

Order issued June 12. 1858 No 1689 & 1690

Ordered that John Morris and L. M. Neide be each allowed the sum of Twenty Dollars each for prosecuting sundry criminals at April Term of DeKalb Circuit Court. as per a recommendation of Judge Dawson. and bill now on file

June 12. 1858 No 1672

And that Wm H Dils be allowed the sum of Two $\frac{50}{100}$ Dollars for Swaring B. B. Dearborn before J. D. Davis Esq. as per authenticated bill on file

Ordered that J. D. Davis be allowed the following amounts for services as Justice of the Peace in sundry cases as per bills filed and certified to, to wit:

June 16. 1858 No 1735

State of Indiana
vs
B. B. Dearborn
Passing Counterfeit Money
Fees $3.00

June 16. 1858 No 1736

State of Indiana
vs
George McDaldo
Grand Larceny
Fees to J.P. Case $2.25

June 16. 1858 No 1737

State of Indiana
vs
Isaac Huffman
Grand Larceny
Fees to J.P. Case $1.50

June 14/58 1722

Ordered that W. Grisworld be allowed the sum of One Dollar for advertising and Recording an Indenture of County pauper as per bill filed and certified to

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June 12. 1858 No 1370 & 1671

Ordered That W. C. McGonigal be allowed the sum of Twenty Three Dollars for Advertising and printing for County as per bill filed and certified to by Co Auditor.

June 12. 1858 No 1599

Ordered That G. N. Smith be allowed the sum of One Dollar for removing one Johanna Hile a County charge as per bill filed and certified by Trustees of Wilmington Township

June 22. 1858 No 1790

Ordered That N. L. Thomas be allowed the sum of Three and Two Dollars for goods furnished Johanna Hile a County charge as per bill filed and certified by Trustees of Wilmington Township

~~And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow ... inst at 8 o'clock.~~

In obedience to a summons issued by the County Auditor, the Trustees & Clerk, of Wilmington Township appeared in open Session to answer unto a charge made by sundry persons in said Township, That the records of said Township were incorrect, and that said Trustees were guilty of fraud. The Board of Commissioners, upon examination find that the record has been correctly kept, and as to the charge of fraud the Board, decide that they have no jurisdiction in the case.

And the Board Adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

D. M. Gotschins
Jeremiah Hemistreet
Amos Selby

Friday Morning June 11th 1858. Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday.

The following accounts against the County Asylum duly authenticated by the certificate of the Superintendent were presented and allowed

June 22. 1858 No 1790	To Wm. Peck	for	Goods	$20.02
	" Hugh & Wolf	"	"	28.54
	" John Shull	"	Wheat	7.20
	" G. W. Davis	"	Hard Ware	3.10
	" J. Testamark	"	Oats	2.00
	" Weaver & Co	"	Drugs	1.01
	" Thomas Swaney	"	Blacksmithing	2.00

Ordered That John Kitmers be allowed the sum of Four Dollars for lumber furnished for Bridge as per bill filed and certified to

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June 12 1858 No 1552 — Ordered That Wesley Park be allowed the sum of Sixteen and 100 Dollars for goods furnished for County Prison as per bill filed and certified to by Sheriff

June 10 58 No 1701 — Ordered That Co. Hill be allowed the sum of Ninety Dollars for Books and Stationery furnished County as per bill filed and authenticated.

June 14 58 No 1702 — Ordered That Sheets and Braden be allowed the sum of Sixty Eight and 70/100 Dollars. for Books & Stationery furnished County as per bill filed and certified to by Auditor

Certificate issued June 10 58 — Ordered by the Board of Commissioners That Benjamin Saunders be and he is hereby appointed a Constable in and for Richland Township to fill a vacancy occasioned by the resignation of John W. Mallery and to serve until his successor is elected and qualified

Certificate issued to Clk of 66 June 17, 1858 — It having been made to appear that the interests of the citizens of Wilmington Township DeKalb County demand three Justices of the Peace in said Township and it appearing That there are, at present, but two in said Township, Therefor

No Peace — Ordered by the Board of Commissioners That the citizens of said Township be, and they are hereby allowed to elect a third Justice of the Peace, at the next general election.

Certificate Issued June 21, 1858. — Ordered That the sum of Three Hundred Dollars be and is hereby appropriated to aid in the Construction of a Bridge across Cedar Creek at the East end of Seventh Street, in the Town of Auburn. To be expended under the Supervision of S. N. Ralston and not to be drawn for until said Bridge is completed

June 17 58 No 1740 — Ordered That Alonzo Lockwood be allowed be allowed the sum of Two Dollars for two days service in viewing a Road as per authenticated bill on file.

No 2200 — Ordered That Samuel Lidge be allowed the sum of One Dollars for Services as Road Viewer One day. as per bill filed and Authenticated.

No 2153 — And That George Smith be allowed the sum of One Dollar for Services as Road Viewer one as per authenticated bill on file

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August 16 1858 No 1715 Ordered That Thomas Weldin be allowed the sum of Six & 75/100 Dollars for services doing in Steuben County for witnesses in a Criminal case and for cash expended as per bill filed and certified to by Prosecuting Attorney.

Aloyza Lockwood, Samuel Sidge and George Smith the persons appointed at the March Term of the Board to view a road for a road now submit their report as such viewers said report is in words and figures as follows to wit.

"To the Hon. Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County Indiana.

We the undersigned, appointed at your March Term A.D. 1858. to view a road to commence at the South East corner of South West quarter of Section One in Butler Township, thence Easterly along said south line of Section One. to the Township line between Jackson and Butler Township, thence in the same direction on the south line of Section Six in Jackson Township, until it strikes the Cold Water and Ft Wayne State Road; having been duly sworn proceeded to view and locate a road as above described on the 25th day of March A.D. 1858, and having carefully examined the ground over which said road is proposed, and duly considered the advantages and disadvantages that would result from the location of said road, We do not consider it of public utility.

Witness our hands This 25th day of March. 1858

A Lockwood
George Smith } viewers

On due consideration the Board approve of the above the report and order the same to be recorded.

Ordered That the County Auditor be allowed the sum of Two hundred & Fifty Dollars for making four copies of Delinquent List of 1857 at 10 cts per 100 words as per bill filed and certified to.

June 21. 1858 No 1723 Ordered That the County Treasurer be allowed the sum of Five & 83/100 Dollars for cash paid to superintendent of Insane Asylum as per Receipts

June 21. 1858 No 1724 Ordered That the County Treasury be allowed the sum of One hundred and Ninety four & 99/100 Dollars for paying out County funds at 2½ pr cent. as per bill filed and certified to.

June 21. 1858 No 1725 And That the County Treasurer be allowed the sum of Two hundred and Fifty Eight & 99/100 Dollars for interest paid on County Orders as per bill filed and certified to.

June 21 1858 No 1726 And That the County Treasury be allowed the sum of Fifteen Dollars for cash advanced to County Agent as per bill filed and certified to

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June 4 1858
No 1756

Ordered That the County Treasurer be allowed the sum of One Dollar for cash advanced for Writing Fluid as per bill filed and Certified

June 17 1858
No 1765

Ordered That Jacob Smith be allowed the sum of Fifty Six Dollars for Boarding and Washing for Johanna Hile a County Charge as per bill filed and certified by Trustee of Wilmington Township.

June 17 1858
No 1761

Ordered That J. B. Howard be allowed the sum of Two & 50/100 Dollars for Services as Constable in case of State of Indiana vs B.B. Dearborn as per bill filed and certified to by Jacob Daniels Esq

The Constitution and By Laws of an organization called the "Fairfield Protectives" was now presented to the Board for approval and after mature deliberation the Board approve of the same and the names of the members thereunto attached, and recognize the existence of said Organization

Wm M. Brown & L. Ingman. The persons appointed to view a route for a Road commencing on the Township line between Wilmington and Union Township at South West Corner of South West quarter of Section Thirty in Wilmington Twp. to run thence north one half of a mile, now submit their report as such viewers, which report is in words and figures as follows to wit:

Union Township DeKalb County March 25: 1858

We the undersigned viewers in said petition having this day examined said Road for a Road & find the same of Public ~~Utility~~ Benefit

Laroloff Ingman
Wm. M. S Brown

Ordered by the Board that the report be adopted, and that Wm. M. S. Brown and L. Ingman be each allowed the sum of One Dollar for services as said Viewers.

June 17 1858
No 1767

The County Auditor now submits the following Report of the Receipts and Expenditures of the County for the year ending May 31st 1858. Said Report is in words and figures as follows to wit.

Auditors Office DeKalb County Ind
June 1. A. D. 1858

To the Hon Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County

In compliance with the requirement of Law, I submit the following Report of the Receipts and Expenditures at the County Treasury for the year ending May 31. 1858 and the Condition of the Finances of the County at this time

Glen Ewen A. R. 1858

No 1

A Statement of the Receipts and Expenditures on all account for the year ending May 31st A.D. 1858 viz:

Collected during the year on account of County Revenue	$5.767.24
" " " " " " Redemption of Land	409.33
" " " " " " County Surveyors Fees	92.48
" " " " " " Special School Tax	3.847.40
" " " " " " Road Revenue	5.398.79
" " " " " " Township Revenue	1.042.88
" " " " " " Municipal Tax	278.06
" " " " " " Show License	5.00
Ballance remaining in Treasury at close of Fiscal year 1858	548.03
Total Receipts	20,389.24
Reduced amount paid out on all accounts during past year	19.572.82
Leaves amount in Treasury in this time	816.42

Expenditures

There were orders outstanding at close of last fiscal year amounting to	2.555.17
" has been Audited during the year ending May 31st 1858	
On account of Redemption of Land	409.33
" " " Surveyors Fees	92.48
" " " Special School Tax	3847.40
" " " Road Revenue	5.398.79
" " " Township Revenue	1.042.88
" " " Municipal Tax	278.06
" " " Assessing Revenue	459.60
" " " Expense of Criminals	294.83
" " " " " Bridges	931.02
" " " " " Pub Buildings	118.08
" " " " " Poor	1.452.25
" " " County Officers Salaries	1.863.40
" " " Roads & Highways	37.00
" " " Specific Allowance	574.49
" " " Illegal Tax Refunded	116.21
" " " Expense of Election	24.20
" " " Interest on County Orders	283.52
" " " Judges Salary	344.93
" " " Jurors Fees	771.43
" " " Expense of Insane	134.85
" " " Agriculture	40.00
" " " Expense of Courts	315.55
" " " Books Stationery & Printing	1.218.87
" " " Expense of Inquests	26.55
Total Expenditures carried forward	$22.707.43

Expenditures Brot Forward	$22,707.43
Deduct Orders Redeemed during year	19,572.82
Taxes Orders outstanding at this time	3.134.61

No 2. Common or County Fund

Receipts

Amount in Treasury at close of last fiscal year	$489.03
Rcvd on account of County Revenue on Duplicate of 1887	8,120.87
" " Delinquent Duplicate of 1887	327.94
" " account of Printing	316.00
" " " " Rent of Court House	2.98
" " " " Incidental Receipts	16.21
Total Receipts	$9,272.48
Deduct amount of Orders Redeemed	8.456.06
Taxes amount in Treasury	816.42

Expenditures.

There were orders outstanding at the close of last fiscal year to the amount of	$2,647.20
Audited during the year on account of Assessing Revenue	459.51
" " " " " " " Expense of Criminals	294.53
" " " " " " " " " Bridges	931.02
" " " " " " " " " Pub Buildings	118.08
" " " " " " " " " Poor	1.462.20
" " " " " " " " Co Officers Fees	1.853.46
" " " " " " " " Expense of Roads	87.00
" " " " " " " " Special Allowance	574.40
" " " " " " " " Illegal Taxes Refunded	115.21
" " " " " " " " Expense of Election	24.24
" " " " " " " " Int on Co Orders	273.52
" " " " " " " " Judges Salary	344.93
" " " " " " " " Jurors Fees	771.43
" " " " " " " " Expense of Insane	134.82
" " " " " " " " " " Convicts	315.55
" " " " " " " " " " Books &c Paid	1.216.97
" " " " " " " " " " Sundries	26.20
	11.590.57
Deduct orders redeemed during year	8.456.06
Taxes Orders outstanding	3.134.51
Deduct amount in Treasury	816.42
Taxes debt of County	2.318.10

No 3. Special School Tax

Total Amount collected during year	$3.847.40
" " Paid Into Treasury	3.847.40

No 4 Township Revenue

Total amount collected during the year	$1.042.88.
" " paid Township Treasurer	1.042.88

No 5 Cash Road Revenue

Total amount collected during year	$5.398.79
" " paid Township Treasurer	5.398.79

No 6. Municipal (Town of Auburn)

Total amount collected during during year	$278.05
" " paid to Town Treasurer	278.05

No 7 County Surveyor Fees

Total amount collected during year	$92.48
" " paid to County Surveyor	92.48

No 8 Agricultural

Amount in Treasury at close of fiscal year 1856	$35.00
collected during the year ending May 31 1858	5.00
Total	40.00
Amount to Agricultural Society	40.00

No 9 Redemption of Lands

Amount in Treasury at close of fiscal year 1856	$7.82
Collected during year	409.33
Total	417.15
Amount of orders redeemed	417.15

All of which is respectfully submitted

M. T. Pierce Auditor

Upon examination the Board accept the above report and order the same to be recorded.

The County Treasurer now submits the following report which the Board accept and order to be recorded. to wit.

The County Treasurer of DeKalb County, and now respectfully submit the to the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County. The following report of the Receipts and Disbursements of the County Treasury in said County, for the fiscal year ending June 1st 1858

Total amount in Treasury June 1st 1857	584.06
" " collected to " " 1858	19,841.18
~~Ordered orders Redeemed to " " " Total~~	$20.389.24
Ordered orders Redeemed to June 1st 1858	19.579.82
Funds Balance in Treasury $	810.42

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There was remaining in the Treasury at close of last fiscal by funds	$ 489.03
" has been collected during year ending June 1st 1858	8,783.43
Total	9,272.46
Ordered orders redeemed during year	3,456.03
Leaves ballance in Treasury at this time	815.42
The Amt of Road Tax collected during year ending June 1, 1858 is	5.398.30
" " " " " Paid to Sup Treasurer during same time	5.398.30
The Amount of Township Tax collected during year is	1.042.81
" " " " " paid to Sup Treasurer during year	1.042.81
The Amount of Special School Tax collected during year is	3.847.40
" " " " " " paid Sup Treasurer "	3.847.40
The Amount of Surveyors Fees collected during year is	92.45
" " " " " paid to to Surveyor "	92.45
The amount of Redemption of Land Funds collected during year	409.33
" " " " " " in Treasury at last settlement	782
Total	$ 417.15
Orders Redeemed during the year	417.15
The Amt of Agricultural Fund in Treasury at last Settlement	35.00
" " " " " collected during year	5.00
Total	$ 40.00
And paid to Agricultural Society	40.00
The Amount of Municipal Funds collected during year	278.05
" " " " paid Treasurer of Auburn	278.05

The following orders have been presented and not paid for want of funds to wit

Nos. 797. 799. 802. 803, 804, 805, 813. 820, 821. 823, 827, 829, 848. 853. 959, 982, 983, 985, 975, 978. 979. 981 982, 995, 997, 999, 906, 907, 908, 909. 918, 928, 931, 936, 934, 998. 999. 1005, 1007. 1008, 1013, 1022, 1045, 1047 1048, 1055. 1057, 1059, 1060, 1070, 1075, 1098. 1103, 1132. 1151, 1161. 1184, 1185. 1187, 1224, 1228. 1229. 1261, 1272. 1274 1278. 1381, 1388. 1391. 1393. 1394. 1397. 1398. 1416. 1426. 1434. 1441. 1443. 1457. 1458. 1473. 1481. 1485 1495. 1501. 1551 1555. 1556. 1557. 1558. 1589. 1560. 1562. 1563. 1564. 1566. 1569. 1573. 1574. 1581 1583. 1587. 1588. 1591. 1594. 1595. 1596 1597. 1598. 1599. 1600. 1601. 1604. 1607. 1608. 1611. 1617. 1618. 1619. 1620. 1627. 1631. 1634. & 1641. Amounting to $ 3.040.95

All of which is respectfully submitted

Jacob Helwig Treasurer Dekalb Co

Ordered that M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of One hundred & Nine Dollars for services as County Auditor in part. as per bills filed and certified to.

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The Auditor now submits the following Report of the Operation of the School Fund for the year ending May 31st 1858. which the Board accept and order the same to be Recorded.

Total amount of Common and Congressional School Funds on hand at March Settlement $1.512.52

Of this amount there belongs to Congressional Funds (Viz and) 1.121.99

Leaving amount of Common Funds. 190.53

Deduct amount of Auditor & Treasurer Fees 64.75

Leaves amount paid into State Treasury $125.78

Amount of Common Fund received from State Treasury $3.725.66

" Overdrawn at last Settlement 105.16

Which Gives amount for present year $3.619.50

Deduct Officers Fees 104.89

Amount distributed to Townships. 3.514.61

Amount of Congressional Funds collected since March Settlement 1858 and in Treasury at this time $89.61

Amount of Common School Funds collected since March Settlement 1858 and in Treasury at this time 2.66

Total in Treasury at this time $92.27

All of which is respectfully submitted

M. F. Pierce Auditor.

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

J. M. Godschins
Jeremiah Armstrong
Amzi Seely

Saturday Morning June 12th 1858. Board met pursuant to adjournment. present the same as yesterday $1.25.75

June 12 1858 Ordered That C. W. Ralston be allowed the sum of Seventy Two & 33/100 Dollars for arresting, committing and Boarding (prisoners) Criminals as per bill filed and certified to.

June 12, 18 And That C. W. Ralston be allowed the sum of Sixty Six Dollars for summoning jurors and attending Courts. as per bill filed and certified to.

June 12 18 And That C. W. Ralston be allowed the sum of Twenty One and 50/100 Dollars for Material furnished and work done on public Buildings as per bills filed and certified to

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Issued June 14 '58 No 1724

Ordered that S. W. Ralston be allowed the sum of Twenty-five Dollars for extra services as Sheriff for quarter ending June 1st 1858. as per bill filed and certified to.

Issued June 14, 58 No 1722

And that S. W. Ralston be allowed the sum of Three Dollars for giving notice for Elections as per Bill filed and certified to.

Issued 1717, 1718, 1719, 1720, 1721, 1722, 1723, 1724, 1725, 1726, 1727, 1728, 1729, 1730, 1731, 1732 June 15, 1858

Ordered that M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Eighty five and 40/100 Dollars for services as County Auditor in part as ~~allowed by~~ per bill filed and certified to.

Issued 18, 1858 No 1788

And that M F Pierce be allowed the sum of Thirty 05/100 Dollars for cash advanced as per bill filed and certified to

The Board now proceed to levy a County Tax, for the year 1858 and after mature deliberation, order that there be charged on the Tax duplicate of said year the following rate of taxation to wit:

For County purposes the sum of Forty cents on each and every hundred dollars of taxable property in the county

For the support of Poor Twenty cents on each and every hundred dollars of taxable property in the county

And for the Building and Repairing of Bridges. Ten cents on each and every one hundred Dollars of taxable property in the County.

And ordered that the Auditor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to charge to each taxpayer, person or corporation, chargable with taxes at the foregoing rates on the Tax Duplicate of 1858.

June 12, 1858. No 1863, 1863, 1864, 1865, 1866, 1867, 1868

Ordered that James M. Gortschius, Jeremiah Hemstreet and Amzi Seely be each allowed the sum of Eighteen Dollars for services as Commissioners at present Session.

Issued June 12, 1858 No 1721

Ordered that A Gorry be appointed County Physician for the coming year ending May 31st 1859

And the Board adjourned

J. M. Gortschius
Jeremiah Hemstreet
Amzi Seely

September Session A. D. 1858

The Board of Commissioners in and for DeKalb County in pursuance of the requirements of law met at the Court House in said County, on the 8th day of September A. D. 1858, present & Their Hons. James M. Goldsberry, Jeremiah Hemstreet and Amzi Seely present also M. E. Pierce Auditor of said County and Clerk of the Board, and A. H. Balston Sheriff of said County.

Peter Barnhart the Superintendent of the County Asylum now presents the following accounts against the county, which upon due examination were found to be correct and unpaid, and which, upon due consideration the Board allow and order to be recorded.

To Peter Barnhart for services as Superintendant from April 1st 1858 to September 1st 1858, 5 months		$104.17
To Clyfield Hall for Goods and cash advanced		53.41
" Wesley Park " "		12.89
" J. W. Davis " "		2.44
" T. Brown " "		1.06
" Jno. A. Miller " Plow		6.82
" Thomas Finney " Blacksmithing		3.18
" E. Roney " Corn		2.00
" Jos. Markell " Labor (Mining Man)		16.51
" Ellen Markell " " " Girl		5.20
" Daniel Moody " Feather for Pump		.37

The Board having disposed of all business before them adjourned to meet to morrow morning at 8 o'clock

S. McC. Goodsching
Jeremiah Hemstreet
Amzi Seely

Tuesday Morning September 7th A.D. 1858. Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday.

Ordered by the Board that Alpheus Hitchcock be allowed the sum of Forty Dollars for building Bridge across Cedar Creek in Richland Township on the Auburn and Albion State Road, as per bill filed and recommended by Superintendent of said Bridge

Ordered that James Black be allowed the sum of Five Dollars for superintending Bridge as per bill filed, accompanying "report" of the completion of said Bridge filed in open session and now on file

September Session A. D. 1868

Ordered that the sum of Seventy Dollars be and is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of a Bridge across the Middle Branch of Big Cedar on the Road leading from Lawrence to the State Road in Richland Township, under the supervision of John Fragler, Jun. to be expended under the supervision of John Fragler Jun. and not to be drawn until said Bridge is completed.

Ordered that S. M. Snull be allowed the sum of Twenty Five Dollars for extra services as Clerk as per bill filed and authenticated

Ordered that Lewis Bowers be allowed the sum of Five Dollars and Thirty Three cents for one Box of Star Candles furnished for use of County as per bill filed and certificate by County Auditor

Ordered that Jacob Helwig be allowed the sum of Sixty Seven 25/100 Dollars for Cash advanced to County Agent for "Expense of Poor." Insurance & Stationery.

Ordered that S. M. Ralston be allowed the sum of Twenty Dollars for attending August term of the Court of Common Pleas and summoning Jurors for same as per Bill filed and certified to

Ordered that S. M. Ralston be allowed the sum of Thirty Six & 00/100 Dollars for Boarding and Washing for J. R. Brewster a criminal as per bill filed

Ordered that S. M. Ralston be allowed the sum of Twenty Five Dollars for extra services as Sheriff as per bill filed

And that S. M. Ralston be allowed the sum of Four Dollars for attending Board of Commissioners at September Term

Ordered that M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of One hundred & Ninety Seven Dollars for making Duplicate of 1868 in part as per authenticated Bill on file.

Ordered that M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of One hundred & Four Dollar for making Road Duplicate for Township Clerks and services as County Auditor

Ordered that Evans & Braden be allowed the sum of Forty Five & 10/100 Dollars for Books and Stationery furnished for use of County as per bill duly authenticated on file

Ordered that M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Ninety Nine & 80/100 Dollars for services as County Auditor in part as per bills filed and given

And the Board adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock A. M.

J. McGaltshire
Jeremiah Hemstreet
Amzi Selby

Wednesday Morning September 8 1858. Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday.

Ordered That T. C. McGonigal be allowed the sum of Eleven Dollars & fifty cents for publishing receipts and Expenditures of County and notice of the Redemption of County Orders

Ordered that R. J. Ent be allowed the sum of Six Dollars and Seventy five cents for Ink furnished County as per bill filed and certified to by the Auditor

Ordered That M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Twenty five Dollars for extra service as Auditor for quarter ending September 1st 1858 as per bill filed

Ordered That James M. Galtshire, Jeremiah Hemstreet and Amzi Selby be allowed each, the sum of Nine Dollars for services as Commissioners at September Term 1858

Ordered that S. Valentine Brewer be allowed the sum of One Dollar and Twenty Five cents for Medicine furnished J. R. Brewster a convict from Allen County as per bill filed and certified to by Sheriff

And the Board adjourned

J. McGaltshire
Jeremiah Hemstreet
Amzi Selby

Clk. Sumter Special Session 1808.

Pursuant to a call of the Auditor of said County. the Board of Commissioners of said County met at the Auditors Office on Tuesday the 4th day of November A.D. 1808. Present. their Hons Jeremiah Hemstreet. Amzi Selby, and James Vr Voorhees. commissioners, and T.A.C. Vr Voorhees Esqr Auditor

Samuel Preston the person elected to the office of Sheriff of the County of Pickaway at the October election A.D. 1808. Now presents his official Bond in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars $5000.00 signed by the said Preston as principal and Philip Funk. Wyatt Gresedel and Wesley Funk as sureties. which on due consideration the Board approve.

Ordered by. that Jeremiah Hemstreet. Amzi Selby. and James Vr Voorhees. be each allowed the sum of three Dollars for their services as commissioners at this session.

There being no further business the Board adjourned

Jeremiah Hemstreet
T. A. C. Voorhees
Amzi Selby

December Session A. D. 1858

The Board of Commissioners in and for said County met at the Court House in said County in pursuance of Law on Monday the 3th day of December A.D. 1858. Present Their Hons. James M. Gotschins, Jeremiah Hemstead and Jared Seth, Commissioners, M. F. Pierce Auditor of said County and Clerk of said Board and S. H. Ralston, Sheriff of said County.

Jeremiah Plum the person elected to the office of Coroner of Fairfield County at the general election of 1858, now presents to the Board his Official Bond in the penal sum of Five Thousand Dollars signed by the said Plum, M. F. Pierce and S. H. Ralston, and after mature deliberation the Board approve said Bond and Security

Approved in open session Dec 5, 1858

Daniel V. Rittenberg, the person elected to the office of Surveyor of Fairfield County at the general election of 1858 now presents to the Board his Official Bond in the Penal sum of One Thousand Dollars, signed by the said Rittenberg and Samuel V. Spotts, and after mature deliberation the Board approve said Bond and Security

Approved in open session Dec 5, 1858

Dec 6, 1858 No 2132 Ordered that A. Corrie be allowed the sum of Eleven 00/100 Dollars cents for medical attention rendered County Paupers, as per Authenticated bill on file

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning

J. M. Gotschins
Jeremiah Hemstead
Attest Seth

Tuesday morning December 7th A. D. 1858. Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

Issued No 2131 Dec 6, 1858 Ordered that C. L. Hill be allowed the sum of Three and 50/100 Dollars for Stationery furnished County as per bill duly authenticated — on file.

Issued Dec 9, 1858 No 2132 No 2133 Ordered that Hiram Jones be allowed the sum of Fifty Seven Dollars for Medical Services rendered Catherine Lowen a County charge, to see bill. Said bill having been previously allowed and the proceedings thereof certified to by the Trustees of Fairfield Township

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December Session A. D. 1868

Ordered That the C. S. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of
No. 2088 One Dollars as per authenticated Bill on file

Ordered that William Wilson be allowed the sum of Two Dollars
No 2261 for Keeping Pauper to County Asylum as per bill allowed
and certified by Trustee of Fairfield Township

Ordered That Chas Wadie be allowed the sum of One Dollars for
No. 2311 service rendered Circuit Court, a County pauper as per bill
filed and certified to by Trustee of Fairfield Township

Ord No 2239 Ordered that John Lowe be allowed the sum of Three Dollars for
services as Clerk of the Poor in Smithfield Township as per
said Bill filed and certified to by Trustee of said Township

Ordered That W. C. S. Corrigal be allowed the sum of Three Hundred
Issued Dollars for printing and advertising for County as follows
No 2210 Nov 11 1868 To publishing Sheriff Proclamation Nine Dollars $9.00
No 2256 " 28 " " Treasurers Notice Thirty Dollars 30.00
" " " 20 Bills " Tax Notices Two Dollars 2.00
No 2041, 2052 " " " Printing List Two hundred & fifty Nine Dollars 259.00
& 2043
$271.00

Issued Ordered that Thomas S. Scott be allowed the sum of Thirty Five
Dec 9, 1868 Dollars for Extra Service as Clerk of the Distrikt Circuit and Common
No. 2078 Pleas Court from September 1st A. D. 1868 to Nov. 30 A. D. 1868
as per authenticated Bill on file

Ordered that the following persons be allowed the sums hereto opposite
their names for services as Petit Jurors at the October Election
A. D. 1868, as per bill filed by Clerk of the District Circuit
Court as follows:

No 2149	[illegible]	4	miles	Butler Twp	$ 1.16
No 2150	[illegible]	2	"	Goshen "	1.08
" 2151	[illegible]	14	"	Concord "	1.56
" No 2252	[illegible]	28	"	Newville	2.12
" 2253	[illegible]	24	"	Stapleton	1.96
No 2254	[illegible]	21	"	Shillington	1.80
No 2312	[illegible]	5	"	Union	1.12
" 2255	[illegible]	14	"	Richmond	1.56
" No 2251	[illegible]	21	"	Fairfield	1.80
No 2241	[illegible]	21	"	Smithfield	1.80
[illegible]	[illegible]	26	"	Franklin	2.04
No 2248	[illegible]	34	"	Troy	2.66

December Session A. D. 1855.

Ordered that William Cox be allowed the sum of One Dollar for services as auditor of Pon of Smithfield Township as per bill filed and certified to by Trustees of said Township

Ordered that J. D. Davis be allowed the sum of Nine & 50/100 Dollars for stove, Tinning & Tin and candle sticks furnished County as per bill filed and certified to be correct by County Agent

Peter Barnhart the Superintendent of the County Asylum now presents to the Board the following accounts duly authenticated which on due consideration the Board allow & order paid

No. 2127 & 2128	To Peter Barnhart	for Services as Superintendent		40.00
No. 2129	" Joseph Manuel	" " on Co Farm		12.50
No. 2130	" Henry Shull	" Oats for Co	"	10.50
No. 2131	" C. W. Davis	" Hardware	" "	2.20
" 2132	" Thos. Tinney	" Blacksmithing	" "	3.25
" 2134	" John R. Miller	" Plow Points	" "	1.25
No. 2135	" M. Fox	" Beef	" "	1.50
No. 2136	" John Johnson	" Chair	" "	1.00
" 2133	" Hanson Plum	" Barrel	" "	.75
" 2134	" Lewis Bowers	" Groceries	" "	.50
No. 2144	" J. A. Detmers	" Corn	" "	19.00
No. 2145 No. 2199 to 2206	" M. L. Rhodes	" Goods	" "	.62
	" Stiles & Seely	" "	" "	57.32
No. 2101	" K. Park	" "	" "	21.12

Ordered that C. S. Hart Deputy Treasurer be allowed the sum of Four & 50/100 Dollars for cash advanced for Stove, Blank Book, Stove Tuning & Book Case as per authenticated bill on file

Ordered that Wm C. Park be allowed the sum of Five Dollars for Repairs done in Auditor Office as per authenticated bill on file

Ordered that L. L. Hill be allowed the sum of Two & 50/100 Dollars for Stationery furnished for Office as per authenticated bill on file

Ordered that M. L. Rhodes be allowed the sum of Fourteen & 50/100 Dollars for clothing furnished Prisoners Criminal as per authenticated Bill on file

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning

Attest: Otto Goldschmidt
Jeremiah Monahan
Chairman

63750 December Session A. D. 1858

Wednesday Morning December 8 A. D. 1858

Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

Issued Ordered that Valentine Shaver be allowed the sum of One and 25/100 Dollars for Drugs and Medicines furnished for inmate of County Asylum as per authenticated bill on file

Issued Dec 10. 58 Ordered that Evans & Tyler be allowed the sum of Three hundred and Sixty Four Dollars & Twenty Five Cents for Books and Stationery furnished County as per legally authenticated bill now in Open session

Issued Dec 10. 58 Ordered that Evans Cider be allowed the sum of Seven and 20/100 Dollars for Lumber and work done on Bridge across Cedar Creek near the Auburn Grave Yard as per legally authenticated bill on file

Issued Dec 10. 58 Ordered that Silas Butt be allowed the sum of 80/100 Dollars for Bridge furnished for Bridge across Cedar Creek near the Auburn Grave Yard as per legally authenticated bill on file

Issued Dec 10. 58 Ordered that John A. Delaney be allowed the sum of Five and 25/100 Dollars for Lumber furnished for Bridge across Cedar Creek near the Auburn Grave Yard as per legally authenticated bill on file

Issued Dec 10. 58 Ordered that James Eaton be allowed the sum of Four & 50/100 Dollars for services rendered John Rieza criminal, while confined in jail as per legally authenticated bill on file

Issued Dec 10. 58 Ordered that T. S. Hoover be allowed the sum of One and 25/100 Dollars for attending John Hill a criminal while confined in jail as per legally authenticated bill on file

Jan 21. 59 2234 Ordered that John Butt be allowed the sum of Two Dollars for One Bottle of Mixture furnished County as per legally authenticated bill on file

Jan 21. 59 2235 Ordered that John Butt be allowed the sum of Six Dollars for Nine Days Jailors County services as per legally authenticated bill on file

Ordered that Court adjourned to meet to-morrow morning

C. M. Goldsborough
Jeremiah Hemstead
Asa Judy

December Session A. D. 1858 1,073.52

Thursday morning December 9 A. D. 1858
Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday.

It appearing from a certificate of the ~~Certain~~ Clerk of the Dekalb Circuit Court - filed in open session that no Commissioner was elected at the October election of 1858 in said County the Board proceed to select some suitable person to serve as Commissioner until the next general election and after mature deliberation appoint James M. Gotschins such Commissioner.

Issued No 2125, Dec 12. 1858. Ordered that Stephen Watson be allowed the sum of Seven and 81/100 Dollars for wood furnished County as per legally authenticated bill on file

Issued Ordered that M. E. Pierce be allowed the sum of One hundred & Ninety Three 93/100 Dollars for services as County Auditor in part as per legally authenticated bill on file

March 12 1859 No 2309 Ordered that W. R. Chilson be allowed the sum of Two and 75/100 Dollars for ½ Ream Legal Cap paper furnished Clerks Office as per authenticated bill on file

Issued 2096 Dec. 11 1858 Ordered that C. F. Crouse be allowed the sum of One and 62/100 Dollars for Earthenware furnished for the use of County Asylum as per legally authenticated Bill on file

Issued No. 2232 Janr. 59 Ordered that Daniel Moody be allowed the sum of 70/100 Dollars for assisting superintendent of County Asylum to butcher a Beef for use of County Asylum as per legally authenticated Bill on file

March 12/59 No. 2310 Ordered that T. Fraver be allowed the sum of 32/100 Dollars for medicines for use of County Asylum as per legally authenticated bill on file

Certified copy issued Dec. 11. 1858 A petition signed by numerous citizens of DeKalb County asking for an appropriation to build a Bridge across Cedar Creek on the Section line between Sections Three & Four in Union Township was now presented to the Board, and after mature deliberation the Board Order that the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars be and is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of said Bridge, to be expended under the supervision of Jacob Hilliard and not to be drawn for until said Bridge is completed 1,230.70

1530.50 December Session A. D. 1858 Con

A petition signed by numerous citizens of Dinwiddie County was now presented to the Board, asking for an additional appropriation of Money to aid in the construction of a Bridge across Indian Creek on the Court road and a certain other road in the County of Nansemond, and after mature deliberation the Board Ordered that the sum of Two Thousand Dollars be appropriated in addition to the amount appropriated at the present session of 1858, to be expended under the supervision of S. T. Barton and not to be drawn for until said Bridge is completed.

Ordered to be issued Dec 16, 1858

S. T. Barton now presents to the Board the following accounts properly authenticated, which the Board on due consideration allow to wit:

No 2109	For Committing Boarding and Releasing P. Randolph a Criminal		4.00
" 2110	" " " " "	J. Ford " "	2.50
2111	" " " " "	G. Hoskins " "	2.50
No 2095 & 2112	" " " " "	M. Snider " "	11.50
" 2113	" " " " "	G. W. Ulmer " "	3.50
" 2114	" " " " "	J. R. Brewster " "	21.50
" 2115	" summoning Petit & Grand Jurors for Oct. Com. 1858 and for adjourned Session		55.00
" 2116	For summoning Jurors for Oct. & Com. Pleas Court & attending Court		23.00
" 2117	" Training for Prisoner in Jail		6.00
" 2118	" Fuel furnished for use of Jail		7.50
" 2119	" Saw dust for Court House		1.25
" 2120	" Notifying Commissioner to attend Special Session		3.00
" 2121	" Attending Board at Special Session		2.00
" 2122	" Other Services		25.00
No 2123 & 2124	" Attending Board at Dec Session 1858		8.00
			575

Issued

Ordered that S. T. Pierce be allowed the sum of Two hundred and Forty five dollars for services as Auditor and cash advanced for use of County as per legally authenticated bill on file

Issued No. 2184 Dec 21, 58

Ordered that B. Hunt be allowed the sum of Three & 00 dollars for mending Irons and One pair of Boots for Inmates of County Asylum as per legally authenticated Bill on file

Issued

Ordered that S. T. Pierce be allowed the Sum of Five Dollars for services rendered at December Session of Board of Commissioners A. D. 1858 as per legally authenticated bill on file

2d 2855, 2859
2d 2870
2d 2876

Ordered that James M. Goetschius, Jeremiah Hunstead and James Daly be allowed the sum of three Dollars for services as Commissioners at December Session A.D. 1808

And the Board approved

J. & M. Goetschius
Jeremiah Hunstead
Jas Daly

1892,90

January Special Session A. D. 1859

Board of Commissioners in and for DeKalb County—in pursuance of a call made by the Auditor of said county met at the Court House in said County, on Monday, the 10th day of January A. D. 1859.— Present their Hons James M. Gotschins, Jeremiah Hemstreet and Amzi Seely, Commissioners,— M. F. Pierce, Auditor and S. W. Watson Sheriff of said County.

It appearing from a "precept" now filed in open session, that the Board of Commissioners had been called together for the purpose of appointing some suitable persons to appraise the Real Estate of said County in pursuance of an act of the Legislature passed January December 21st A. D. 1858, the said Board now proceed to select such persons,

Divers applications for said appointment were now presented to the Board, and for further consideration the board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning

J. M. Gotschins
Jeremiah Hemstreet
Amzi Seely

Tuesday Morning January 11th A. D. 1859. Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

The Board resumed the consideration of the applications for the appointment of Appraiser, and after mature deliberation appoint Robert York Appraiser of Real Estate for 1859. They also appoint John Brandon, John Duncan, John Shutt, Daniel Ingman and Peter M. Brumback Deputies to assist said York in making said appraisement

And it Ordered that James M. Gotschins, Jeremiah Hemstreet and Amzi Seely be each allowed the sum of Six dollars for services as Commissioners at present Session

And the Board Adjourned J. M. Gotschins
Jeremiah Hemstreet
Amzi Seely

February Special Session A. D. 1859

Board of Commissioners in and for DeKalb County met at the Court House in said County on Monday February 7th A.D. 1859. in obedience to a precept issued by the Auditor and returned in open session, Present their Hons. Jeremiah Hemstreet and Amzi Seely - two of the Board. M. F. Pierce Auditor and S. H. Ralston Sheriff. The entire Board not being in attendance an adjournment was called until To-morrow morning

Jeremiah Hemstreet
Amzi Seely

Tuesday morning Feb 8th A.D. 1859. Board met at 8 o'clock. Present their Hons. James M. Gortschius Jeremiah Hemstreet and Amzi Seely, Commissioners, M. F. Pierce Auditor and S. H. Ralston Sheriff.

The Board now proceed to open and examine certain proposals for renting the County Farm, and for Boarding and lodging the Paupers of said County; and after examining the several propositions and duly considering the same accept the proposition made by Nathan H. Mathews therefore

Ordered That Nathan H. Mathews be and he is hereby appointed Superintendent of the County Asylum of DeKalb County for the term of One year from the first day of March A.D. 1859.

2243 Ordered that W. C. McGonigal be allowed the sum of One hundred and Twenty Dollars for printing 240 quires of Appraisers Blanks as per authenticated bill on file

Issued 2244 2245, 2246 2247 Feb 9. 1859 Ordered That Jeremiah Hemstreet and Amzi Seely be each allowed the sum of Six Dollars for services as Commissioners at present term. and that James M. Gortschius be allowed the sum of Three Dollars for one days service as commissioner at the present term

No 2248 Feb 9. 59 Ordered That S. H. Ralston be allowed the sum of Four Dollars for services as Sheriff at present term as per bill filed

And the Board adjourned

Jeremiah Hemstreet
J. M. Gortschius
Amzi Seely

March Sepion A. D. 1859

Monday. March 7th A. D. 1859. The Board of Commissioners in and for DeKalb County met at the Court House in said County— Present their Hons. James M. Gotschins, Jeremiah Henstreet and Amzi Selly. Commissioners. M. F. Pierce, Auditor. and L. M. Ralston Sheriff

Nathan H. Mathews. the person appointed to superintend the County Asylum now presents to the Board his Bond for the faithful performance of his duty as said Superintendent which Bond being signed by the said Mathews. and by M. C. Krontz and James McDonnel as sureties. the Board approve the same

Issued March 10 1859 — Ordered That W. C. McGonigal be allowed the sum of Sixty One Dollars for Printing and advertising for County as per bill filed and sworn to.

Issued No. 2292 March 11. 59 — Ordered That H. E. Rush be allowed the sum of Five Dollars for repairing Court House and furnishing material as per bill filed and certified to by County Agent

Issued No. 2280 March 11. 59 — Ordered that J. S. Palmer be allowed the sum of One Dollar for services as over seer of Poor of Richland Township as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of said Township

Issued No. 2294 March 11 59 — Ordered That Wm. H. Dils be allowed the sum of Five Dollars for drawing Bill of Specifications and article of agreement for Renting Poor Farm as per bill filed and certified to by Auditor

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning

Jeremiah Henstreet
Amzi Selly
Jolle Gotschins

Tuesday Morning March 8th A. D. 1859

Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

The Board now proceed to select the names of Twelve persons to serve as Grand Jurors for the April Term of the DeKalb Circuit Court. and have selected the names of Sixty persons from the Tax Duplicate of 1858. being five persons from each civil Township. which persons possess the necessary qualifications to serve as Grand Jurors, and said names having been deposited in a box prepared for the purpose the Clerk of the DeKalb Circuit Court in the presence of the Board of Commissioners drew from said Box the following names to wit.

March Term A. D. 1859

Names of Grand jurors

James Bell	Butler Twp		Adam Stark	Union Twp
Isaac Culbertson	Jackson "		Washington Sikes	Richland "
Johnathan Boyle	Concord "		Daniel Gonser	Fairfield "
Lewis Cole	Merrill "		Thomas Lock	Smithfield "
Peter Batter	Stafford "		John Taylor jr	Franklin "
John Meese	Wilmington "		Wm. R. Emmerson	Troy "

Copy issued by Clerk Jan 15 1859

And in manner and form as above described the names of twelve persons were selected to serve as Grand Jurors for the October Term of DeKalb Circuit Court for 1859

John Grube	Butler Twp		James Barclay	Union
Alonzo Lockwood	Jackson "		Ephraim Torrington	Richland
Martin Hull	Concord "		Emanuel Mellick	Fairfield
Nathan Fuller	Merrill "		Emanuel B. Shoemaker	Smithfield
Henry Donor	Stafford "		John D. Shively	Franklin
Wm. H. Straight	Wilmington "		Jacob Casheer	Troy

Issued March 9 1859

Ordered That Sheets & Braden be allowed the sum of One hundred & forty six Dollars for Books and Stationery furnished the County up to this date as per bill on file duly authenticated and for which William Braden of the firm of Sheets & Braden gives the following receipt

Received March 9th A. D. 1859 of DeKalb County One hundred & forty six dollars in full of all accounts to this date W. F. Braden

Issued No. 2307 March 12 59

Ordered That S. M. Sprott be allowed the sum of Twenty five Dollars for extra services as Clerk for quarter ending March 8th 1859 as per bill filed

Issued No 2276 & 2277

Ordered That the sum of Twenty five Dollars be and is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of a Bridge across a Water Course in the south part of Dist No. Seventeen in Union Township on the Road leading from the Morning Glen Road to the North part of the lands owned by Jeremiah Plum, to be expended under the supervision of Josiah Imhoff and not to be drawn until said Bridge is completed

Issued No 2281 March 11, 1859

Ordered That John Lias be allowed the sum of Ten Dollars for services as Overseer of Poor in Smithfield Township as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of said Township

Issued No. 2292 March 11/59

Ordered That S. D. Davis be allowed the sum of 32 100 Dollars for Two Candlesticks for Court House as per bill filed and certified to by Sheriff

March Session A. D. 1859

The following accounts against the Wall County Asylum for the Poor were presented in open session duly authenticated by the certificate of Peter Barnhart the Superintendent of said Asylum which, on due consideration the Board allow to wit:

Issued No 2282	To	Wisley Park & Son for Posts & Pickets	$123c
No 2283	"	Steffe & Holy " " " "	17 42
No 2285-2284	"	Ellen Seamell for labor at Co. Asylum	10 10
No 2285	"	Jacob Rettenwald for work on Co Farm	4 94
No 2285, 2273, 2284, 2285, 2279	"	Peter P. Barnhart " Services as Superintendent	59 03
No 2286	"	J. D. Davis " Hard Ware for Co Asylum	7 23
No 2287	"	J. C. Smith " Drugs " " "	3 9c
March 11. 59			

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning

Jeremiah Hembree
Amzi Selby
D. McC. Goldsching

Wednesday morning March 9th 1859 Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

Issued No. 2296 March 12. 1859 — Ordered That Anthony Weir be allowed the sum of Two Dollars ~~Loaded~~ ~~sum~~ for repairing Jail Door as per bill filed and certified to by Sheriff.

Issued March 11th 1859 — Ordered That D. L. Snyder be allowed the sum of Eight & 53/100 Dollars for goods furnished Charles French a County Pauper as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Richland Township.

Issued March 11th 1859 — Ordered That D. L. Snyder be allowed the sum of Seven & 50/100 Dollars for medical aid rendered Charles French a County Pauper as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Richland Township

Issued No 2287 March 11 1859 — Ordered That James Bowman be allowed the sum of One & 00/100 Dollars for boarding paupers to County Asylum as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Union Township

Issued No. 2288, — Ordered That C. S Kline be allowed the sum of Forty Six & 50/100 Dollars for cash advanced for use of Appraising Land. Expense of Poor. Expense of Pub. Buildings & Sheriffs Allowance as per bill filed and ~~certified~~ proven

March Session A. D. 1859

The Constitution and By Laws of a Horse Thief detecting society was now presented to the Board of Commissioners for approval and after mature deliberation the Board approve said Constitution and By Laws and recognize the existence of said Society to be known and hailed as the "Stafford Mutual Protection Society."

No 2290 2291 March 11 1859

Ordered that Joseph M. Robbins be allowed the sum of Thirteen and $\frac{50}{100}$ Dollars for Wood furnished Clerks Office as per bills filed and authenticated

Towns No. 2289 Dec. 11. 1859

Ordered that Alexander Roland be allowed the sum of Five Dollars for making Coffin and Box for Gordon Powdin a deceased pauper as per bill filed and certified to by Trustees of Concord Township

Ordered that M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of One Hundred & Eighty Dollars for making Appraisement Roll Township & village maps for Appraisement of 1859 as per authenticated bills on file

A petition for a change in a County Road was now presented to the Board which petition was signed by numerous citizens of DeKalb County, and which is in words and figures as follows to wit:

"To the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County Greeting: We the undersigned "Freeholders of DeKalb County would pray your Honorable body to grant a "view for an alteration in the County Road ~~leading~~ running west from "the quarter post on the east side of Section (19) Nineteen in Smithfield "Township. Said alteration to be as follows: Commencing at the aforesaid "post, thence west on the quarter or open line to the quarter post on the "west ~~line~~ side of Section (19) nineteen, thence south on the Township line "to the quarter post on the east side of Section (24) Twenty four in "Fairfield Township. There to intersect the road that is now traveled between "these two points. The aforesaid change will effect lands owned by H. B. "Clark, Wm. Clark, Wm. Fike, Franck Haines James Price and Mr. Mathias."

Copy issued Dec 10, 1859

February 15th 1859

On due consideration the Board grant a view for a road for said Road and appoint Emanuel R. Shoemaker, George W. Duncan and Henry Rose as viewers.

Ordered That James B. Morrison, W. C. McDougal and M. F. Pierce be and they are hereby appointed School Examiners for the ensuing year And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning

Jeremiah Hengst
Lewis Ashley
W. C. McDougal

Commissioners

March Session A. D. 1859

Thursday Morning March 10th A. D. 1859 Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday.

Issued No. 2295 March 11 59 — Ordered That Wisler Park & Son be allowed the sum of Four & 32/100 Dollars in Detail to on a change of Imps for Allen County for Goods furnished John R. Bunster while confined in jail as per Bill filed and certified to by Sheriff

Issued No 2297 March 12, 59 — Ordered that John N. Detimers be allowed the sum of Sixty Dollars for 24 cords of Wood furnished for use of County as per bill filed and certified to by Co Agent

In pursuance of the requirement of Law the Board on this day visited and inspected the Poor Farm the Asylum for the Poor and the inmate thereof and find the same in good condition

The Board adjourned to meet to morrow morning

Jeremiah Hengstler
Amzi Selby
Chas. Goldsberry

Friday Morning March 11th A. D. 1859. - Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present the same as yesterday.

March 12. 59 No 2305 — Ordered That C. L. Hare be allowed the sum of Two Dollars for cash advanced for ½ Ream of Legal Cap paper as per authenticated bill on file

Copy issued March 14/59 No 2304. 2305 2306, 2307 — Ordered that the sum of Seventy-five Dollars be and is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of a Bridge across the outlet of S. Yr. Smith's Lake and Marsh on the Road leading from Auburn to Lisbon in Union Township in Union County Four (24) in Road Dist No Six (6) in Union Township to be expended under the supervision of Henry Shultz and not to be drawn for until said Bridge is completed

Copy issued March 14/59 — Ordered that the sum of Fifty Dollars be and is hereby appropriate to aid in the construction of a Bridge across Cedar Creek where it intersects the Township line between Smithfield and Union Township to be expended under the supervision of Daniel Goodwin and not to be drawn for until said Bridge is completed

Issued No 2303 — Ordered That J. K. Davis be allowed the sum of Seventy five cents for Cash Boarded for Recorders office as per authenticated Bill on file

Ordered That M. L. Pierce be allowed the sum of One hundred & Sixty five Dollars for services as County Auditor as per bill filed and certified to

March Session A. D. 1859

Issued No 2301. 1302 March 12. 59

Ordered That S. H. Ralston be allowed the sum of Twenty five Dollars for extra services as Sheriff for quarter ending March 1. 1859 as per bill filed and certified to

Issued No 2299 March 11. 59

And That S. H. Ralston be allowed the sum of Six 20/100 Dollars for subpoening arresting Jonas H. Roe. and subpoening witnesses in case of State of Indiana vs. Jonas H. Roe as per bill filed

Issued No. 2303 March 12. 1859

Ordered That S. H. Ralston be allowed the sum of Twenty Eight Dollars for summoning jurors, for Common Pleas Courts, & attending same for summoning Commissioners for extra session and attending same as per bill filed and certified to

Issued No. 2300 March 12, 59

Ordered That S. H. Ralston be allowed the sum of Nine dollars & Ninety cents for subpoening witnesses in case of State vs. Harvey Fisk as per bill filed & certified to

March 12. 1859 No 2305

And That S. H. Ralston be allowed the sum of Two Dollars for each advanced for Ballot Box as per authenticated bill on file

Issued No. 2293 & 2305 March 12. 59

Ordered That M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Eighty Nine & 30/100 Dollars for making assessment Role for 1859. for services as auditor at March session and for cash advanced for shopping wood, Freight and Expres charges for county and postage on official letters as per bill duly authenticated on file

Issued No 2277 March 11/59

Ordered That Stiffle & Wolf be allowed the sum of One & 25/100 Dollars for One pair of shoes furnished County Paupers as per bill filed and certified to by County agent

March 12. 59 No 2304

Ordered That S. H. Ralston be allowed the sum of Ten Dollars for services as Sheriff at present session of Board as per bill filed

Issued March 11 1859

Ordered That James M. Goltschins, Jeremiah Hemstreet and Amzi Lesly be each allowed the sum of Fifteen dollars for services as commissioners at present session on

And the Board adjourned

Jeremiah Hemstreet
Amzi Lesly
J. M. Goltschins

June Session A. D. 1859

The Board of Commissioners in and for Wyandotte County, met at the Court House, on Monday the 6th day of June 1859 in accordance with law. Present then & there, James M. Gotschius, Jeremiah Hemstreet and Amzi Lee, Commissioners, present also M. T. Pierce Auditor of said County and Clerk of said Board and S. M. Ralston Sheriff of said County. At the same time and place met the Board of Equalization. Present as members of said Board, Jeremiah Hemstreet, James M. Gotschius, & Amzi Lee, Commissioners, M. T. Pierce Auditor, and Samuel Hauver, Joseph Walter, John W. Dils, Alva Lawrence, Jacob Coe, William Mathews, John C. St Clair, Henry Sherlock, Henry Ernest, John Dobrantz, Edward H. Taylor and John McCurdy Assessors; Robert Wark, Appraiser of Real Estate, and John G. Cancer, John Shutt, John Brandon, Lansford Engman and Jesse M. Brumback Deputy Appraisers of said County.

There being no business before the Board pertaining to the Assessment of Personal Property, the Township Assessors on motion were adjourned, and the Board of Equalization of the Real Estate adjourned to meet to morrow morning

Jeremiah Hemstreet
J. M. Gotschius
Amzi Lee
M. T. Pierce Auditor
J. W. Dils
John Dobrantz
Henry Ernest
Robert Wark, appraiser
John Brandon Dep. "
John Shutt " "
J. M. Brumback " "
Lansford Engmann Dep. "
John G. Cancer " "

Samuel Hauver, Joseph Walter, Alva Lawrence, John C. St Clair, E. H. Taylor, Henry Sherlock, John McCurdy, Wm Mathews

Tuesday morning June 7th A. D. 1859. Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment. Present their Honors Jeremiah Hemstreet James M. Gotschius & Amzi Lee Commissioners, M. T. Pierce Auditor and Robert Wark County Appraiser. Present also John G. Cancer John Shutt, Lansford Engman, John Brandon, and Jesse M. Brumback deputy Appraisers of said County.

Comes now Thalis Baber in open session and complains that his Real Property was appraised at an exorbitant price, and asks the Board to make a deduction in said Assessment for the year 1859. The Board having heard the evidence, and being satisfied in the premises sustain the said Assessment

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John Stover makes complaint to the Board of Equalization and asks that the Appraisement on the improvements of his land for the year 1859 be deducted. The Board after hearing the evidence and being satisfied of the justness of the Appraisement sustain the same.

Ordered that the Appraisement of the land of John Jackman, in Franklin Township for the year 1859 be reduced One hundred and Forty Four dollars; the Board being satisfied that the same has been appraised higher than similar land in the county.

The Board being satisfied in the premises, Order, that the sum of One hundred dollars be deducted from the Appraisement of the lands owned by Nibert & Saurlein in Smithfield Township for 1859.

Johnathan Weaver makes complaint to the Board of Equalization and asks that a portion of the Appraisement on his Steam Mills be reduced; and after mature deliberation the Board refuse to make any deduction.

Ordered that One Hundred & Sixty dollars be reduced on the Appraisement of the Asbery owned by H. Park in Auburn for the year 1859

Ordered that there be added fifty cents per acre to the Appraisement of Wm. Shorts lands for 1859. in Stafford Township; the same being described as the East half of the South East quarter of Section Seventeen in said Township.

On motion adjourned until to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock

The Board of Equalization now

Jeremiah Hemstreet
H. Abb Goetschius — Commissioners
Amzi Seely

Milton F. Pierce — Auditor

Robert D. Cook — Appraiser
John Shut — Deputy "
John G. Lancer " "
Lemslot Lyzmen " "
J. M. Brunsbach " "
John Brondan " "

June Session A. D. 1859 Cont.

Wednesday morning June 8th A.D. 1859 Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as Yesterday

C. C. Houghton applied to the Board for a reduction in the Appraisement of the Steam Mill, owned by said Houghton, N. B. Park & McBride near the South end of Auburn. After mature deliberation the Board sustain the Appraisement.

Ordered by the Board of Equalization that Appraisement on the Steam Mill owned by R. M. Lockhart be increased One thousand Dollars above the amount returned by the Appraiser, for the year 1859

Ordered that Eight Hundred Dollars be added to the Appraisement of the Steam Mill owned by R. J. Stone in Fairfield Township, for the year 1859

Ordered that Five Mills owned by the Mrs. Gilsters in Flatforce Township be appraised at Three thousand Dollars

Ordered that the sum of Fifty dollars be deducted from the Appraisement of Lot No. 93 in the Original Plat of the Town of Auburn owned by Washington Walters.

Ordered that the sum of Five dollars be deducted from the Appraisement of five acres of land owned by C. C. Houghton and described as being in the South East corner of the E of Section Thirty Two in Union Township.

The Board adjourned to meet to morrow morning at 9 o'clock

Jeremiah Hembree
D. M. Goetschius } Commissioners
Amzi Seely

Milton F. Pierce Auditor
Robert Frick Appraiser
John Brandon Deputy "
Lambert Lynamen " "
Jacob Bumbaugh " "
John G Dancer " "
John Shutt " "

June Session A. D. 1859

Thursday Morning June 9th A. D. 1859. The Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday.

Ordered that the Steam Mill owned by Pierce & Van Winkle in Neville Township be appraised at Five hundred Dollars.

A motion to increase the Appraisement on the Steam mill owned by C. Beyo in Richland Township was lost.

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock

Jeremiah Hemstead
D. McC. Gaitskins
Amzi Seely
M. T. Pierce
Robert Work
John Stuart
Lenolot Kizmen
J. M. Brunbeck
John Brandon
John G Dancer

Commissioners
Auditor
Appraisers

Friday Morning June 10th A. D. 1859. The Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

The Board now proceed to take up the Appraisements by civil Townships and after comparing and thoroughly investigating the four Southern Townships to wit: Butler, Jackson, Concord, & Neville and comparing the Appraisement of said Townships with the Appraisement of the other Townships in the county.

Order that the Appraisement of Butler and Jackson Townships be confirmed as returned by the Appraisers.

Ordered by the Board that Ten per cent be added to Appraisement on the land in Concord Township, and that Twenty per cent be added to the Appraisement on the land in Neville Township.

Ordered that Appraisement of Stafford, Wilmington Union, Richland and Pee Townships be confirmed.

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock

Jeremiah Hemstead
D. McC. Gaitskins
Amzi Seely
M T Pierce Auditor
Robert Work Appraiser
John Brandon Dep'y "
John Stuart "

John G Dancer Lenolot Kizmen J. M. Brunbeck

June Session A. D. 1859

Thursday Morning June 9th 1859

The Board of Commissioners in conjunction with the several Township Trustees now proceed to levy Taxes in the several Townships for Township, Special School, and Road purposes for the year 1859. to wit:

Troy Township

We the undersigned Commissioners of DeKalb County and Trustee of Troy Township in said County

Order, That the following Taxes be levied on the Taxable property of said Township for the year 1859.

For Special School Tax. Twenty Five cents on each One Hundred Dollars valuation of Real and Personal Property in said Township and Twenty Five cents on each Poll.

For Road Tax Fifteen cents on each One hundred dollars valuation of Real and Personal Property and One & Three fourth cents on each acre of taxable land.

And for Township Tax Five cents on each One hundred dollars valuation of Real and Personal Property in said Township

Jeremiah Heustis
D. McC. Gaetschius
Amzi Seely
Gilbert C. Everett Trustee

Commissioners

Wilmington Township

We the undersigned Commissioners of DeKalb County and Trustee of Wilmington Township in said County.

Order That the following Taxes be levied in Wilmington Township for the year 1859 to wit.

~~For~~ Special School Tax Twenty Five cents on each One Hundred dollars valuation of Real & Personal Property and Fifty cents on each Taxable Poll.

For Road Purposes Fifteen cents on each One hundred dollars valuation of Real and Personal Property and One & Three fourth cents on each acre of Taxable land

And For Township purposes One hundred dollars on the Taxable property in said Township

Jeremiah Heustis
Amzi Seely
D. McC. Gaetschius
W. B. Simmons Trustee

Fairfield Township

The Taxes for Fairfield Township for the year 1859 as levied by the Board and Trustee of Fairfield Township ~~for the~~

Special School Tax Twenty five cents on each One hundred Dollars valuation and Fifty cents on each Taxable poll

For Road Purposes Fifteen cents on each one hundred dollars valuation and One & 3/4 cents on each acre of land
And for Township purposes Twenty Dollars on the valuation in said Township

Jeremiah Hemstreet
D. McGoldsching
Amzi Seely — Commissioners

Daniel Bowen — Trustee

Jackson Township

The Taxes for Jackson Township for the year 1859 as levied by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of Jackson Township
Special School Tax Twenty five cents on each one hundred dollars valuation of Property and Fifty cents on each Taxable Poll
Road Tax Fifteen cents on each one hundred dollars valuation of property and One & three fourth cents on each acre of land
Township Tax Seven cents on each one hundred dollars valuation of Property in said Township

Jeremiah Hemstreet
D. McGoldsching — Commissioner
Amzi Seely
Joseph Walter — Trustee

Concord Township

The Taxes for Concord Township for the year 1859 as levied by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of Concord Township.
Special School Tax Twenty five cents on each one hundred dollars valuation and Fifty cents on each Taxable Poll
Road Tax Fifteen cents on each One hundred dollars valuation and One & three fourth cents on each acre of land.
Township Tax Six cents on each One hundred dollars valuation of Property

Jeremiah Hemstreet
D. McGoldsching — Commissioner
Amzi Seely
Levi Herriott — Trustee

Smithfield Township

The Taxes for Smithfield Township for the year 1859 as levied by Board of Commissioners and Trustee of Smithfield Township
Special School Tax. Twenty five cents on each one hundred dollars valuation of property and Fifty cents on each Taxable Poll
Road Tax Fifteen cents on each One hundred dollars and One & three fourth cents on each acre of land. and for Township purposes Twenty five dollars on the hundred property in said Township

Jeremiah Hemstreet
D. McGoldsching — Commissioner
Amzi Seely
Cyrus Bowman — Trustee

Stafford Township

Taxes levied in Stafford Township for the year 1859 by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said Township

Special School Tax Twenty Cents on each One hundred dollars valuation and Fifty cents on each Taxable poll

Road Tax Fifteen cents on each One hundred dollars valuation and One & three fourth cents on each acre of land

Township Tax Sixty five dollars on the Taxable property of said Township

Jeremiah Hemstreet
T. Mc. Goetschius — Commissioners
Henry Seely
Wm Brown Trustee

Stirville Township

Taxes levied in Stirville Township for the year 1859 by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said Township

Special School Tax Twenty Five cents on each One hundred dollars valuation and fifty cents on each poll.

Road Tax Fifteen cents on each one hundred dollars valuation and One and three fourth cents on each acre of land.

Township Tax Seventy Dollars on the Taxable property in said Township

Jeremiah Hemstreet
T. Mc. Goetschius — Commissioners
Henry Seely
Albert M Bloodg Trustee

Franklin Township

Taxes levied in Franklin Township for the year 1859 by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said Township

Special School Tax Twenty five cents on each One hundred dollars valuation and fifty cents on each Poll

Road Tax Fifteen cents on each One hundred dollars valuation and One & three fourth cents on each acre of land

Township Tax four cents on each one hundred dollars valuation of taxable property

Jeremiah Hemstreet
T. Mc. Goetschius — Commissioners
Henry Seely
E. H. Taylor Trustee

Richland Township

Taxes laid in Richland Township for 1859 by Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said Township

Special School Tax Twenty five cents on each one hundred dollars valuation of Taxable Property

Road Tax Fifteen cents on each One hundred dollars valuation of taxable property and One & three fourth cents on each acre of land

Township Tax One Hundred and fifty dollars on the Taxable property

Jeremiah Hemstreet } Commissioners
J. M. Gaetschius }
Amzi Seely }
Washington Peters Trustee

Union Township

Taxes laid in Union Township for 1859 by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said Township

Special School Tax Twenty Five cents on each one hundred dollars valuation of taxable property and fifty cents on each Poll

Road Tax Fifteen cents on each One hundred dollars valuation and One and three fourth cents on each acre of land

Township Tax Two hundred and twenty five dollars on the taxable property of said Township

Jeremiah Hemstreet } Commissioners
J. M. Gaetschius }
Amzi Seely }
Isaac Hutzler Trustee

Butler Township

Taxes laid in Butler Township for 1859 by the Board of Commissioners and the Trustees of said Township.

Special School Tax Twenty Five cents on each One hundred dollars valuation of taxable property & Fifty cents on each Poll

Road Tax Fifteen Cents on each One hundred dollars valuation and One and three fourth cents on each acre of land

Township Tax One hundred and fifty dollars on the assessed property in said Township

Jeremiah Hemstreet } Commissioner
J. M. Gaetschius }
Amzi Seely }
R. S. Young Trustee

And the Board adjourned to meet to morrow morning at 8 o'clock A.

Jeremiah Hemstreet

June Session A. D. 1859

Friday Morning June 10th A. D. 1859

Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. present the same as yesterday.

The County Auditor now presents to the Board his Annual Report of the Receipts and Expenditures at the County Treasury for the year ending May 31st A. D. 1859 and the condition of the Treasury at this time.

Said Report is in words and figures as follows to wit:

Auditors Office DeKalb County
Auburn. June 11th A. D. 1859

To the Hon. Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County:

Gentlemen:

In pursuance of the requirement of law. I herewith submit the following Report of the Receipts and Expenditures at the County Treasury for the fiscal year ending May 31st A. D. 1859, and the condition of the Treasury at this time.

There was remaining in the Treasury at the close of last Fiscal Year the sum of	816	42
There have been collected during the Fiscal Year ending May 31st 1859 the following sums		
On Account of County Revenue	12.814	49
" " " Road "	5.907	92
" " " Special School Tax	4.373	90
" " " Township "	1.326	91
" " " Redemption of Land	419	50
" " " Corporation Tax	227	22
" " " Surveyors Fees	137	34
" " " Agriculture	5	00
Total Receipts	$26.028.	76
Deduct Amount paid out on all accounts during Year	24.470.	18
Leaves Amount in Treasury at this time.	1.558.	51

Expenditures

There have been expended during the Fiscal Year ending May 31st 1859

On Account of Redemption of Land	419 50
" " " County Surveyors Fees	137 34
" " " Special School Tax	4.373 90
" " " Road Revenue	5.907 92
" " " Township Revenue	1.326 91
" " " Corporation Tax	227 22
" " " Agricultural Revenue	44 51
" " " Expenses in Criminal	627 12
" " " " " Bridges	052 66
Total Carried Forward	

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Amount Back Treasurer

On Account of Expense of Public Buildings	222 01
" " " " " Poor	903 50
" " " County Officers Salary	1.837 51
" " " Expense of Roads & Highways	5 00
" " " Specific Allowances	355 30
" " " Illegal Taxes Refunded	196 16
" " " Expense of Elections	27 44
" " " Interest on County Orders	322 77
" " " Judges Salary	373 85
" " " Judges back Salary	718 82
" " " Jurors Fees	772 28
" " " Expense of Inquest	102 53
" " " Agriculture	5 00
" " " Expense of Courts	320 35
" " " " " " Stationery	883 78
" " " " " " Printing	296 00
" " " " " " Appraisement	320 75
Makes Total Amount of Expenditures	21.692.60
To which add amount of Orders outstanding at close of last year	3.634.61
Gives a Total of Charges	$25.327.21

County Revenue = Receipts

There was remaining in the Treasury at the close of last Fiscal Year the sum of 516.42

There has been collected during year on account of County Revenue the sum of 12.814.49

Making Total Receipts 13.330.91

Orders Redeemed 12.072.30

Leaves amount in Treasury 1.658.61

County Revenue = Expenditures.

There has been Audited during the Fiscal Year ending ending May 31st 1859

On Account of Assessing Revenue	447.61
" " " Expense of Criminals	627.12
" " " " " Bridges	662.24
" " " " " Public Buildings	222.01
" " " " " Poor	903.50
" " " County Officers Salary	1.837.61
Amount carried forward	4498.89

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Amt Road Orders	4.499 87
On Account of Expense of Roads & Highways	6 00
" " " Special Allowance	353 30
" " " Illegal Tax Refunded	196 16
" " " Expense of Election	37 44
" " " Interest on County Orders	322 77
" " " Judges Salary	373 82
" " " " Back Salary	718 82
" " " Jurors Fees	772 28
" " " Expense of Insane	102 33
" " " " " Courts	320 38
" " " " " Stationery	883 78
" " " " " Printing	396 00
" " " " " Appraisement	320 76
Total Amount of Expenditures	9.294 42
Amt of orders outstanding at close of last Fiscal year	3.634 61
Total Charges	12.929 03
Ordered orders redeemed during the year	12.072 30
Leave the amount of outstanding orders	856 73
Amount of Money in Treasury	1.568 61
Leave surplus in treasury above charges	701.88

Special School Tax

Total Amount collected during year	4.373 91
" " " paid to Townships	4.373 91

Township Tax

Total Amount collected during year	1.326 91
" " " paid to Townships	1.326 91

County Tax

Total Amount collected during the year	5.902 02
" " " paid to Townships	5.902 02
Incorporation Tax	
Incorporation Tax	
Total Amount collected during year	227 22
" " " paid Town of Amherst	227 22

County Surveyors Fees

Total Amount collected during year	137 34
" " " paid County Surveyor	137 34

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Redemptions of Land

Total Amount received during year	419.59
" " paid out " "	419.59

All of which is respectfully submitted

S. H. Pierce Auditor

The Board after examining the Records and vouchers order that the Report be accepted and recorded.

The County Treasurer now presents his annual report to the Board of Commissioners which Report is in words and figures as follows:

County Treasurer Annual Report for 1859.

The County Treasurer of DeKalb County Indiana, would respectfully submit to the Honorable Board of Commissioners of said County the following report of the Receipts and Disbursements at the County Treasury in said County for the fiscal year ending.

June 1st 1858,

Total Amount in Treasury June 1st, 1858.	$ 816,42
" " Collected to " " 1859	25,212,27
" " of Revenue for year ending June 1st 1859	26,028,79
" " " Orders Redeemed to " " "	24,479,18
Bal. in Treasury June 1st A. D, 1859	1,548,61

County Revenue Receipts

Total Amount of County Revenue in Treasury, June 1st 1858	816,42
" " " " " Collected to " " 1859	12,814,49
" " " " " for Year ending " " "	13,630,91
" " " " " Orders Redeemed to " " "	12,072,30
Bal. Cash June 1st 1859	1,548,61

Road Revenue.

Total Amount of Road Revenue Collected to June 1st 1859	5,907,93
" " " Orders Redeemed " " " "	5,907,93

Township Revenue.

Total Amount of Township Revenue Collected to June 1st 1859	1,326,89
" " " Orders Redeemed " " " "	1,326,89

Special School Tax.

Total Amount of Special School Tax Collected to June 1st 1859	4,373,91
" " " Orders Redeemed " " " "	4,373,91

June Sesion Cont'd

Total Amount of Surveyors Fees Collected during year. 1859 ... 137.34
" " " Orders Redeemed " " " ... 137.34

Municipal Tax

Total Amount of Municipal Tax Collected to June 1st. 1859 22.22
" " " Orders Redeemed " " " ... 22.22

Redemption of Land

Total Amount of Redemption of Land fund collected to June 1st 1859 419.34
" " " Orders Redeemed " " " ... 419.34

Agricultural Revenue

Total Amount of Agricultural Revenue Collected to June 1st 1859 5.00
" " " Orders Redeemed " " " ... 5.00

Total Amount in Treasury June 1st 1859 $ 1,538.51

The following Orders have been Registered and not Redeemed, to June 1st 1859. No. 859, 1657, 2483, and 2468 Amounting to $170.00
All of which is Respectfully Submitted by
Jacob Helwig Treasurer of Pulaski Co.

~~And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock.~~

The Board of Commissioners now proceed to levy a Tax for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the County for the coming Fiscal Year, and after mature deliberation order that the sum of Ten thousand and Five hundred dollars be assessed on the Taxable Property of said County both Real and Personal to each tax payer his due portion

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock

Jeremiah Hemstreet
Wm. Goetschius
Amzi Seely

June Session A. D. 1859

Saturday Morning June 11th 1859. Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

A petition signed by numerous citizens of DeKalb County was now presented to the Board which petition was in words as follows to wit:

"To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County. "Your "petitioners would respectfully represent that the publick is in need "of a high Way laid out commencing on Bridge Street on the North "side of the Bridge at the Town of Waterloo, thence east along the line of "the Rail Road to the east line of John B Fortinghams land on Sec 13 "Town 34 R 12 thence south across the Rail Road thence easterly along "the south line of the Rail Road to land title A intersects the "Auburn and Fairfield Centre Road. there to end. said proposed highway "will pass through lands owned by Jacob Martin, Mr. Gorsuch Jas Blake "J. B. Fortingham N. E. R. R. Co. N. Eisler & Perkins and the Heirs "of John Butler deceased we would therefor pray your Honorable Board "to appoint viewers to view and locate said Road,"

Copy issued June 13, 1859

Ordered That the above petition be granted and that J. Buckmaster, Willard Childs, David McNall be appointed to view a road for said road

A Petition from numerous citizens of DeKalb County was now presented to the Board, which petition is in words as follows to wit:

To the Hon. Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County. We the undersigned citizens of Butler Township. DeKalb County. Ind. petition your Honorable body for the appointment of viewers to view and locate a road, commencing at a Quarter stake on the south line of Section Two in Butler Township. thence eastwardly on the said south line until it intersects the road at Jacob Flennars running east of the school house No. 1. The citizens of section two are entirely shut in for the want of a public road consequently we deem this road a public utility. and for the granting of which we will ever pray. Said Road will touch land owned by George Buckman, Michael Wheeler, Jacob Flennar and Joseph M. Robbins.

Copy issued June 13 1859

On due consideration the Board grant the prayer of the above petition and appoint Michael Reese, Robert Knox and C. P. Hoffman viewers to view a road for said road.

June Sepion A. D. 1859

A petition is presented to the Board asking for the vacation of a portion of road in Butler Township. Which petition is in words as follows to wit:

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County:

We

The undersigned resident freeholders of your county, would humbly pray your honorable body to vacate a portion of County road hereinafter described, to wit: Commencing at the Dale Road near the residence of Robert Knott in Butler Township said county, and running diagonally to the half section line of section eleven, being the north line of forty acres of land owned by B. F. Moody. Your petitioners would state that said portion of said road is impassable, and would be of no public utility if it were passable. It is a damage to the land holders through whose land it runs, running diagonally through some tracts, and throwing them into bad shape for fencing or fields.

Certificate issued June 13 1859

Your petitioners would further state that by vacating said portion of road; labor and expense would be spared and the same applied on Roads of public utility, which are in great need of improvement. The vacation of said portion of road will affect lands owned by Robert Knott, Abraham Fair, Henry Hull, Nancy Lockwood, Daniel Moody & B. F. Moody; and for the granting of this petition we will ever pray.

One days consideration the Board appoint James M'Clellan, John Orange, and Phillip Bolle viewers for said proposed vacation

Issued June 6. 1859 Ordered that Wm. C. M'Donigal be allowed the sum of Twenty four and 75/100 Dollars for printing road advertising for county as per duly authenticated bill now on file.

Issued. Ordered that Jeremiah Hemstreet James M. Dortschin and Amzi Seely be allowed the sum of Eighteen Dollars for services as commissioners at this session.

And the Board adjourned Jeremiah Hemstreet
Amzi Seely
J. M. Goldsbury

Special June Session A. D. 1859

Monday morning June 13th 1859. The Board of Commissioners in and for DeKalb County met at the Court House in said County, pursuant to a summons issued by the Auditor of said County. Present their Hons Jeremiah Remsburg, James M Gorbetsins, and Amzi Seely Commissioners. M. T. Pierce Auditor of said County and Clerk of said Board and D. M. Paxton Sheriff of said County

June 13 1859 No. 2547 to 2549

Ordered That Robert York be allowed the sum of One hundred and Fifty Six Dollars for services as Appraiser of DeKalb County as per duly authenticated bill on file

June 13 1859 No. 2550

And that Robert York be allowed the sum of Twenty Five and 30/100 Dollars for Expenses paid while going to and from Indianapolis and Lafayette to attend meetings of Appraisers as per duly authenticated bill on file

June 13 1859 No. 2551 to 2576 inclusive

Ordered That John G. Spencer be allowed the sum of One hundred and Twenty Eight Dollars for services as Appraiser of Real Estate as per duly authenticated bill on file

June 15 1859 2577 2578 2579 2580 2581 2582 2583 2584 Clear

And That John Short be allowed the sum of One hundred & Twenty Eight Dollars for services as Appraiser of Real Estate as per duly authenticated bill on file

June 20 1859 No. 2585 to 2622.

And that Lander N Ingman be allowed the sum of One hundred and Forty Eight Dollars for services as Appraiser of Real Estate as per duly authenticated bill on file

June 17 1859 2623 2624 2625 2626 2627

And That John Brandon be allowed the sum of One hundred & Six dollars for services as Appraiser of Real Estate as per duly authenticated bill on file.

June 18 1859 No. 2628 2629

And That Jesse M. Brumback be allowed the sum of One hundred and Ten dollars for services as Appraiser of Real Estate as per duly authenticated bill on file

July 18 1859

Ordered That Jonas Emanuel be allowed the sum of Ten Dollars for Medical services rendered Patty Watson a poor person as per bill filed and certified by Trustee of Jackson Township

June 13 1859 No. 2630

Ordered That C. C. Hare Deputy Treasurer be allowed the sum of Three hundred and One Dollars and Four cents for fees for keeping said County funds as per authenticated bill on file

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Issued June 29th No 2592. Ordered that C. S. Hare Deputy Treasurer of DeKalb County be allowed the sum of Two hundred and Twenty Two and 50/100 Dollars for interest paid on County Orders as per duly authenticated bill on file

Issued June 29th 1859 No 2593 No 2594 No 2595 And that C. S. Hare Deputy Treasurer of DeKalb County be allowed the sum of Eighty One Dollars & Eighty Five cents for cash advanced as follows

For mileage paid Justices of the Peace for making return of fine		$13.35
" " For cash advanced for use of Poor Farm		81.00
" " " " painting Court House		12.00
" " " " County Office		5.00

Issued June 29th 1859 No 2594 Ordered That John A. Witmer be allowed the sum of One and 90/100 Dollars for lumber furnished for Bridge and for services repairing Bridge, sawing

No 2595 And that John A. Witmer be allowed the sum of Four and 24/100 Dollars for lumber furnished Poor Farm

Issued June 16, 59 No 2596 Ordered that Lodema Dillins ~~for~~ be allowed the sum of Three Dollars for taking care of a pauper in Smithfield Township as per bill filed and certified to by Trustees of Smithfield Township

And the Board adjourned to meet to morrow morning at 8 o'clock

Jeremiah Hembright
Chas Gaetschius
Asst Clerk

June Session A. D. 1839

Tuesday Morning June 14th 1839. Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

Issued Ordered That S. H. Scott be allowed the sum of Twenty Five dollars for extra services as Clerk for quarter ending June 1st 1839 as per bill filed.

Issued Ord. No 3546 Ordered That Robert M. Lockheart be allowed the sum of One and 7/100 Dollars for making return of election in Smithfield Township,

Issued Ord. No 3547 And That Andrew Smith be allowed the sum of One and 30/100 Dollars for making return of election in Wilmington Township as per certificate of Clerk of Circuit Court

A report of the view of a County Road commencing at the quarter Post on the East side of Section Nineteen in Smithfield Township thence on the line to the quarter post on the West side of Section Nineteen, thence South on the Township line to the quarter post on the east side of Section Twenty Four in Fairfield Township, was now presented to the Board, ~~which was~~ and after mature deliberation the Board confirm said Report. and refer it back to the viewers,

A petition was now presented to the Board asking for a view for a Road in Fairfield Township, said petition signed by numerous citizens of said Township is in words as follows to wit.

Copy since June 13. 1839 To the Honorable Commissioners of DeKalb County Indiana. We the undersigned pray (your) said Board of Commissioners to grant us a view for a road as follows as we believe it would be of public utility, Commencing at a stake running east and west, at eighty Rods west of the north east corner of section fifteen in Fairfield Township. thence running south one half mile to a stake running east and west. running on line through lands owned by Daniel Power and said Power deceased.

One due consideration the Board grant the prayer of the above petition and appoint John Potts, Richard R. Rice and Daniel Buchanan viewers on said proposed road.

Issued No. 2169 June 15 39 Ordered that H. Kenney be allowed the sum of Nine & 15/100 Dollars for sawing timber for County Farm as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent of County Asylum

June Session A. D. 1859

Ordered That C. R. Shoemaker, G. H. Duncan and Henry Hood be each allowed the sum of One Dollars for services viewing road in Smithfield Township as per bill filed

The several Township Assessors having presented their bills duly authenticated, for services rendered in Assessing the Personal property of 1859 and attending Board of Equalization. the Board allow the same as follows

Samuel Hamer	for Assessing Revenue of	Butler	Township	$40.50
Joseph Watts	" " "	Jackson	"	30,00
John H. Dile	" " "	Concord	"	51.00
Asa Laurence	" " "	Venice	"	21.00
Jacob Cris	" " "	Stafford	"	22.50
William Mathews	" " "	Wilmington	"	38.25
John C. McClain	" " "	Union	"	61.00
Henry Sherlock	" " "	Richland	"	46.60
Henry Ernest	" " "	Lansford	"	26.60
John Schrantz	" " "	Smithfield	"	31.50
C. H. Taylor	" " "	Franklin	"	31.50
John McCurdy	" " "	Troy	"	19.50

Ordered That Peter Moody Esq. be and he is hereby appointed a constable in and for Smithfield Township to fill a vacancy occasioned by the failure of one Freeman Kelly to qualify as Constable in said Township

And the Board adjourned to meet to morrow morning at 8 O'clock

Jaemick Hemstreet
Amzi Seely
T. McC. Gatschine

June Sesion A. D. 1859

Wednesday morning June 15th A. D. 1859. Board met pursuant to adjournment. present the same as yesterday

Copy issued June 13 1859

Ordered That the sum of One Hundred Dollars be and is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of a Bridge across Little Cedar Creek in District No Eight (8) in Butler Township, to be expended under the supervision of Robert York and not to be drawn for until said Bridge is completed

Copy issued June 13. 1859 Issued June 20. 1859 No. 2560 Issued Dec. 31. 59. Issued Jany 4th 60

Ordered that the sum of One Hundred and Seventy Five Dollars be and is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of a Bridge across the Western branch of Cedar Creek South of Joseph Millers on the Section line running between Sections Thirty five and Thirty Six in Richlands Township to be expended under the supervision of N. Teeters and not to be drawn for until said Bridge is completed.

Issued June 18 59 No. 2567

Ordered that Dr. A. Perry be allowed the sum of Nineteen and 50/100 Dollars for services as County Physician for quarter ending June 2nd A. D. 1859. as per authenticated bill on file

Issued June 16. 1859

Ordered That N. H. Mathews be allowed the sum of Twenty One and 40/100 dollars for labor performed on Poor Farm on a special contract as per bill filed

The following accounts against Poor Asylum and for the use of the Poor in County were now presented to the Board duly authenticated by the certificate of the Superintendant of said asylum, which on due consideration the Board allow to wit

No. 2552	To M. L. Rhodes	for Merchandise for use of paupers	$14.49
Issued	" W. Park	" " " "	12.56
No 2642	" Sam. Sanders	" " " "	3.12
No. 2624	" Steifle & Volz	" " " "	2.04
No. 650	" J. C. Smith	" 2 Bottles of Pain Killer	50

Issued No 2861

Ordered That Job C Smith be allowed the sum of Thirty Eight and 100/100 Dollars for Paints Oils and Putty furnished for painting Jail as per bill filed and certified to by County Agent

Issued Feb 14th 1860 No 2588

Ordered That P. J. Land be allowed the sum of Three dollars for Ink furnished for use of County Officers as per authenticated bill on file

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The Board now proceed to appoint a suitable person to act as County Physician for the coming year, commencing June 16th 1859. and after mature deliberation appoint James A. Chamberlain said Physician

Cont in No 2819 Ordered That C. P. Hiett be allowed the sum of Three Dollars for repairing sash in County Jail as per bill filed and certified to by County Agent

Ordered that Samuel W. Ralston be appointed County Agent to take charge of business in the absence of the Commissioners, pertaining to the interests of the County, under the provisions of the Statutes in such a case provided.

No 2820 Ordered That George Staggemeier be allowed the sum of Three and 91/100 Dollars for merchandize furnished Hugh Carnage a Poor Person, as per bill filed and certified to by Trustees of Union Township

Cont Feb 27. 1859 Ordered That Isaiah Fansler be allowed the sum of Seven and 47/100 dollars for bill of goods bought for Charles Gray, a deceased pauper; said bill being for coffin and burial Clothes for said Pauper as per bill filed and certified to by Trustees of Union Township

Cont 15 by Ordered That N. H. Mathews be allowed the sum of Two hundred Dollars and Fifty cents for boarding Paupers at County Asylum for quarter ending June 13th 1859 as per bill filed

Cont Ordered that M. T. Pierce be allowed the sum of Forty Nine and 44/100 Dollars for services as County Auditor in part as per duly authenticated bill on file

No 2821 Ordered That C. L. Hill be allowed the sum of Eight and 70/100 Dollar for Stationery furnished County as per bill duly authenticated on file

Cont 16. No 2826. Ordered that S. W. Ralston be allowed the sum of Twenty Five Dollars for 25 days service as Sheriff for quarter ending June 1st 1859 as per bill filed

Cont 16. No 2827 Ordered that S. W. Ralston be allowed the sum of Two and 30/100 dollars for posting notice on Road viewers in Smithfield Township as per bill filed

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Issued June 5. 59 No 2528

Ordered That S. H. Ralston be allowed the sum of Seven dollars for advertising Notices of Justices of the Peace in the Townships of Butler, Jackson, Concord, Stafford, Wilmington, ~~—~~ Union and Smithfield

Issued June 6. 1859

Ordered That S. H. Ralston be allowed the ~~sum of amount~~ following amounts as per duly authenticated bills on file to wit:

No 2529	For Serving Venire for Common Pleas Court at April Term 1859		$10.00
No 2530	" Attending " " " " " "	6 days	12.00
No 2531 & 32	" Serving Venire for April Term of Circuit Court 1859		20.00
No 2533	" Attending said Court five days		10.00
No 2534	" Serving notices on Commissioners at June Special Session		1.00
No 2535	" Board of Commissioners 9 days		18.00

Issued

Ordered That M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Two hundred and thirty Eight dollars for services as County Auditor making three copies of Delinquent Duplicate for 1859 as per authenticated bill on file

Issued June 9th 59 No 2642

Ordered That Johnathan Hale be allowed the sum of One and $\frac{25}{100}$ Dollars for services as Juror at the Circuit Court of said County as per certificate of Sheriff

Issued

Ordered That M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Forty three and $\frac{75}{100}$ Dollars for services as Auditor and clerk aforesaid as per authenticated bill on file

Issued June 22. 59 No 2629

Ordered That the Tax charged on Seventy dollars to Daniel Huffman for the year 1857 in Butler Township be refunded the Board being satisfied that said Seventy dollars was erroneously charged by the Township Assessor of said Township for said year

Issued June 22. 1859 2636

And that the Tax charged on Two hundred and Ten to Uriah Tygent for the year 1857 in Butler Township be refunded, the Board being satisfied that said amount was erroneously charged by the Township Assessor of said township for said year

Issued

And that M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Fifty Six dollars and Ninety cents for extra service as Auditor and services at June Session as per authenticated bill of file

Issued June 24. No 2623

Ordered That Lewis Bowers be allowed the sum of One Dollar for Three & one half lb ~~of~~ Candles furnished Clerks office as per duly authenticated bill on file

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June 13. 1859 Ordered that Jeremiah Hemstreet, James M. Gotschius, and Amzi Lusby be each allowed the sum of Nine dollars for services as Commissioners at present session.

And the Board adjourned

Jeremiah Hemstreet
James M. Gotschius
Amzi Lusby

June Session A. D. 1859

At Saturday Morning June 11th A.D. 1859. The Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

Ordered that the Appraisement on the land in Fairfield Township be increased Five Thousand Dollars on the ad valorem system

Ordered that the Appraisement on the land in Smithfield Township be reduced Two Thousand dollars; and that the Appraiser of said Township be authorized deduct said amount from the appraisement of the land in said Township, and ordered further that the Appraiser of said Township be authorized to further equalize the appraisement in said Township, provided that the total amount be not changed.

Ordered that the Appraisement on the land of Franklin Township be increased Two Thousand Dollars, and that the Appraiser be authorized to add said Two Thousand dollars to the land of said Township as he may deem proper

The Board having heard all complaints presented, and having equalized the Appraisement on the real property in the County do now adjourn sine die.

Jeremiah Hemstreet
C. M. Goetschius
Amzi Seely
Commissioners

M. T. Pierce Auditor
Robert Work Appraiser
Lambert Hyman Dpty "
J. M. Brinkerhoff " "
John Brandow " "
John G Dancer " "
John Hunt " "

September Session A.D. 1859

Monday September 5th A.D. 1859 The Board of Commissioners in and for DeKalb County met at the Court House in pursuance of law. Present the Hons. James M. Gelsthwaite, Jeremiah Hemstreet and Amzi Lewis Commissioners also M.F. Pierce, Auditor of said county and Clerk of said Board, and S. Preston Sheriff of said County.

Ordered by the Board that Martin Hillesin be allowed the sum of Six Dollars and Fifty Cents for making Coffin for a Pauper name Lydia Holden, as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Smithfield Township

A Petition signed by numerous citizens of DeKalb County was presented to the Board asking for the appointment of a Commissioner to view a road for a road on the County line between DeKalb and Noble Counties; and there being sufficient evidence on file that the law touching the location of Highways had in every particular been complied with, grant the prayer of the petition. Said petition is in words and figures as follows to wit:

"To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County and State of Indiana.

We, the undersigned humbly petition the Board of Commissioners of said County to lay out and locate a public highway on the line between DeKalb and Noble Counties. And, commencing where the said County line crosses the Highway running from Auburn to Auburn and running thence, south ten miles to the east and west road running east from Hiram Cramer's Store, and running on the lines between the lands of Peter Pifer, the heirs of — Doubt, Samuel Axtell, the heirs of Solomon High and E. Kellen on the east and the lands of John Stuht, John Krawcock Purge Drawcock and William Isham on the west. Said highway to be located on said road described or as near thereto as possible. For which we shall ever pray."

On due consideration, the Board appoint James Bell a Commissioner to act in conjunction with a Commissioner of Noble County to view said road.

A petition was is now presented to Board asking for a view for a Highway which petition is signed by the requisite number of citizens of DeKalb County, and there being an affidavit on file that the law touching the location of Highways had in every particular been complied with, grant the prayer of the petition

Said petition is in words and figures as follows to wit:

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of DeKalb County.

Your humble petitioners pray your Honorable Body to grant a view for a public highway to commence sixty rods north of section corner of sections 2. 3. 10 & 11 in Fairfield Township in said County, thence west through Ephraim Shipes Lot to the corner of land owned by John Fuller & John Shipe, thence west on said line to O. N. Strongs land and continue west till it intersects the North and South Road Runs through O. N. Strongs land. And your petitioners will ever pray

Signed 16th 1850

Com. view P.O. 1850 Report

On the consideration the Board appoint Edward Dixon John Hartman and [illegible] to view a road for said road.

A petition was presented to the Board, asking for the appointment of viewers to view a road for a road. which petition is in and figures as follows to wit.

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County.

We, the undersigned resident Freeholders of DeKalb County would respectfully represent that we are greatly in need of a road to commence at the quarter post between sections seventeen and twenty in Jackson township in said County, to run south through the centre of sections twenty and twenty one and twenty nine until it intersects the Spencerville road. We would therefore pray your honorable body to appoint viewers to view a road for a road over said ground.

Copy Viewers D.C. P.O. Report

The road will pass through or touch upon lands owned by Adam Ashcraft, John G. Vancu, Wm B. Vancu Exrs, James Comesky, Hosea Manin, James L. Ferguson Isaac Luther and Fort Wayne and Chicago Rail Road Company, and for the granting of this petition we will ever pray."

There being sufficient evidence on file that the law touching the location of Highways has in every particular been complied with the Board on due consideration grant the prayer of the above petition and appoint John Coy, Joseph Watters and Isaac Franks viewers to view a road for said road.

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock

Jeremiah Hunsucker
Chas. Goltschins
Amzi Tuley

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Tuesday morning September 5th 1859. the Board met pursuant to adjournment. present the same as yesterday

George H. Duncan, E. R. Shoemaker and Henry Hoover the persons appointed to view a road for a road in Smithfield and Fairfield township Submit the following report.

Dekalb County, Indiana March 28 1859

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of said County. We, the undersigned viewers of a road for a road commencing at the quarter post on the east side of section Nineteen (19) in Smithfield Township thence on the line to the quarter post on the west side of section Nineteen (19) thence south on township line to the quarter post on the east side of section Twenty Four (24) in Fairfield Township. view to intersect the road now traveled between these two points. after being duly sworn we viewed the said road and consider it a public utility and on due consideration, lay it out forty feet in width.

G. H. Duncan
Viewers E. R. Shoemaker
Henry Hoover

On due consideration the Board adopted the Report. and order that the road be established on the route above described

Issued 2d Sept No 2736 Ordered That Daniel N. Ellenburg be allowed the sum of Two dollars and twenty cents for surveying poor farm as per authenticated bill on file

Issued Ordered That Nathan H. Matthews be allowed the sum of Two Dollars and Fifty cents for services as chain carrier in surveying Poor Farm, as per authenticated bill on file

Issued No 2841 now 1857 Ordered That M. L. Rhodes be allowed the sum of One Dollar and Two cents for Merchandise furnished for use of Court House ies per bill filed and certified to by County Agent

Jeremiah Plum Coroner of DeKalb County, now presents a report of which the following is a true copy.

State of Indiana
DeKalb County ss I, Jeremiah Plum, Coroner in and for said county do hereby certify, that on the 24th day of July 1859. I held a post mortem examination on the body of Pierce Sarchet in the County & State aforesaid and that the following named persons served as jurors at said examination, to wit: I. R. Lent, 2 Perry Hodges, 3 A. C. Ely, 4 William Townsend, Joseph Eastman, Eli H. Williams, O. N. Smith, Isaac Hobbs, Daniel Butler, D. Pike, Charles Burney, John Ralston

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Further certify that the following named persons served as physicians at the examination above described: S. M. Winslow, John Hornberger, B. P. Grinnell

Witness my hand this 8th day of September 1859

Jeremiah Plenn
Coroner DeKalb County

Ordered that each of the ~~of the~~ Jurors named in the foregoing report be allowed the sum of Twenty Five cents for services as Jurors as said coroners Inquest.

Ordered that Jeremiah Plenn be allowed the sum of Five Dollars
issued for service as Coroner and at Post Mortem examination on the body of George Sprague in the town of Waterloo in DeKalb County on the 26th day of July 1859. as per bill filed

Issued 3358 Ordered that Daniel Keefer be allowed the sum of Fifty cents for services as Chainman in surveying a Public Road as per duly authenticated bill on file

Issued 3359 Ordered that George Shull be allowed the sum of Fifty cents for services as Chainman in surveying a Public Road as per duly authenticated bill on file

No 2738. Ordered that Henry K. Attenburg be allowed the sum of Fifty cents for services as Chainman in surveying a Public Road as per duly authenticated bill on file.

issued No 2787 Ordered that Daniel W. Attenburg be allowed the sum of One and 25/100 Dollars for making survey of Public Road as per duly authenticated bill on file.

No 2791 Ordered that J. & K. Ettinger be allowed the sum of Seven Dollars for making coffin for pauper as per duly authenticated bill on file

James McClellan, John George and Philip Grube the persons appointed to view a road in Butler Township submitt the following report.

DeKalb County Indiana September 7th 1859

To the Honorable board of Commissioners of DeKalb County Indiana

The undersigned have by your order examined the road proposed to be vacated as in said order described, to wit: Commencing at the state road near the residence of Robert Knott

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in Butler Township in said County and running diagonally to the half section line of Section eleven being the north line of forty acres of land owned by B. F. Moody. and likewise it to be set for all parties concerned that said portion of said road be vacated

Respectfully submitted
James McClellan
John George
Philip Grube
} Viewers

On due consideration the Board adopt the report and order that the road be vacated as above described.

Ordered that James McClellan John George and Philip Grube be allowed one and 50/100 Dollars each for services as viewers on road. as per duly authenticated bill on file.

Ordered that Abraham Rodeheffer and Franklin Moody be allowed one dollar each. for digging grave for Elizabeth Lack a pauper. as per duly authenticated bill on file.

And the Board adjourned to meet to morrow morning at 8 O'Clock

Jeremiah Hemstreet
J. McC. Goetschius
Amzi Seely

Wednesday Morning September 7th 1869 Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

Ordered that C. S. Hare be allowed the sum of Ten Dollars for amount of Tax refunded on property erroneously assessed as per authenticated bill on file

And that C. S Hare be allowed the sum of Thirty Dollars and Twenty five cents for cash advanced for insurance on Jail and Envelopes as per authenticated bill on file.

Ordered that W. C. McDougal be allowed the sum of Twenty five Dollars for printing one ream of rear receipts and publishing statement of Receipts & Expenditure for the year 1869. as per bill duly authenticated on file

Ordered that S. H. Spaid be allowed the sum of Twenty Five dollars for extra service as Clerk for quarter ending September 1st 1869 as per bill filed

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Issued Ordered that Andrew Smith be allowed the sum of One Dollar
Sept 22 1859 and Eight Eight cents for making return of Apltic election 1859 as
No 2745 per bill filed and certified to by the Clerk of the Vincent County
Court Vall County

issued A. H. Mathews now presents to the Board an account for boarding pau-
pers and for labor performed on the Poor Farm amounting to Two hundred
and Twenty dollars and Fifty Six Cents, and after mature deliberation the
Board allow Two hundred and Ten Dollars and Eighty One cents of
said bill

Issued Sept 22 Ordered that C. S. Hare be allowed the sum of One Dollar and
No 2701 Forty Five cents for cash advanced for printing & mileage to Justices of
the Peace for making return of fines as per authenticated bill on
file.

Issued No Ordered that Sam Sanders be allowed the sum of One Dollar and Ninety
2725 Six cents for merchandise furnished for inmates of County Asylum as
per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent of County Asylum

Issued Ordered That M. T. Pierce be allowed the sum of One hundred &
No 2693 Eighty Dollars for making tax duplicate for 1859 in part as
per duly authenticated bill on file

Ordered that Daniel Bowser be allowed the sum of Three Dollars for
issued visiting and summoning Mrs. Lock & poor person to the County Asylum
No 2729 as per duly authenticated bill on file

Issued Sept 15. 59 And that Peter Kersey be allowed the sum of Three Dollars for
No 2780. keeping and boarding Mrs. Lock a Poor Person as per bill
filed and certified to by Trustees of Fairfield Township

Ordered That C. L. Hill be allowed the sum of Fourteen
Doc. 3. 59 Dollars and Fifty cents for Books and Stationery furnished
County as per authentication bill on file

Issued No Ordered that C. Shutt be allowed the sum of Eighteen Dollars and
2777. Seventy five cents for fifteen cords of wood furnished for use
of County as per bill filed and certified to by County Agent

Issued No Ordered that W. Park & Son be allowed the sum of Thirteen Dollars
2705 and Eighty Four cents for merchandise furnished for the use of the
inmates of County Asylum as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent of
Co. Asylum

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David Buchanan and John Potts the persons appointed to view a road in Fairfield Township now submit the following report. "To the Commissioners of DeKalb County Indiana. In obedience to your order we met at the house of David Rogers Esq, on this day and after being sworn proceeded to view the route for a road, Commencing at a stake running east and west eighty rods west of the south east corner of section fifteen in Fairfield Township. Thence running south one half mile to a stake running east and west passing along the line between the lands of David Bowser ~~deceased~~ and David Bowser deceased. We think there can be a good road made at a reasonable expense and that the utility of the public requires a road of thirty feet in width

August 23rd 1859

David Buchanan
John Potts
Viewers

Ordered that the above report be adopted and that a road be established on said route

Ordered that John Potts and David Buchanan be each allowed the sum of One Dollar for services as road viewers one day as per duly authenticated bill on file

Ordered that M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of One hundred and seven dollars for for Making Duplicates of Road Tax for the several Townships as per duly authenticated bill on file.

Ordered that Job C. Smith be allowed the sum of Eighty Eight cents for Drugs furnished paupers at County Asylum as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent of County Asylum

Willard Childs, David McNabb and John Buchanan the persons appointed to view a road leading from Corunna east along the line of the State Road to the East line of John B. Frothingham's land in Sec. 4 Town 34, Range 13. thence south across the State Road thence easterly along the south line of the State Road Commencing where said line intersects the Auburn and Fairfield Centre road now submit their report as such viewers, and on due consideration the Board continue said report and refer the same back to the viewers

Ordered that John McCune be allowed the sum of One Dollar and fifty cents for surveying a road in Butler Township as per duly authenticated bill on file

September Session A. D. 1880

George R. Huffman and Robert Knott, two of the persons appointed to view a road for a road commencing at a quarter stake on the South line of Section Two in Butler Township, thence eastwardly on said south line until it intersects the road at Jacob Flenners running east of the School House No 1. now submit the following report; which report is written on the back of the certificate furnished said viewers by the Auditor, and which report is in words and figures as follows to wit:

July 30th 1880

"We the undersigned viewers of the within named road after being duly sworn have viewed and examined said road and say that in our opinion said road will be necessary to a number of citizens and consequently of public utility, said road commencing as within mentioned and terminating as prayed for in the within certificate being one hundred twenty rods in length, thirty feet wide being fifteen feet on each side of the section line, from the starting point to the termination of the same."

On due consideration the Board adopt the above report and order that a road be laid out as described in said report

Huffman Issued No 2760, 2761 Knott. 3345

Ordered that George R. Huffman and Robert Knott be each allowed the sum of One Dollar and fifty cents for services as road viewers as per duly authenticated bills on file

issued No. 3346.

Ordered that Michael Reiner be allowed the sum of One dollar for services as road viewer as per duly authenticated bill on file.

Issued No 2766.

Ordered that James N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of Thirteen Dollars and Twenty six cents for services as County Physician as per duly authenticated bill on file

A petition is now presented to the Board asking for the appointment of viewers to examine the premises and assess damages if any may be due to Jacob Flenner, which petition is in words and figures as follows to wit:

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County Indiana, The undersigned, aggrieved, and suffer a damage to a considerable extent in consequence of a public road which will be reported to be of public utility, said road commences at a quarter Issued Sep. 9, 1880 section stake on the south line of Sec. Two of Butler Township, thence eastwardly on said south line until it intersects the east corner at my house. Said road takes

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Commence 12 rods off of the north side of my acre of (land) Ground, and also be at no. Sept. 9th the expense of removing my dwelling from said road.

I therefore under these considerations I want your honorable body to appoint viewers and view said premises and assess damages if any be due) and for the granting of which I will ever pray &c.

Jacob Flenner

August 25th 1859

On due consideration the Board appoint Joseph Miller, Henry Sherlock and Geo. Clark to view said premises and road and assess damages if any be due.

S. H. Ralston now presents to the Board the following charges against the County which charges being duly authenticated the Board allow as follows to wit:

Journal No		
2694	For extra service as Sheriff for quarter ending Sept. 1st 1859	$25.00
2695	For committing and boarding prisoners	11.40
2696	For summoning Jury at August term of Com. Pleas Court 1859	10.00
2696	For attending said Court	12.00
2696	For notifying Road Viewers in Fairfield Township	1.90
2696	For cash advanced for pitcher for use of Court Room	.30
2697	For cash advanced for expenses while pursuing one Wesley Ludwick a fugitive from justice	6.00

And the adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at Eight O'clock

Jeremiah Flenniken
Henry Seely
D. M. Gotshing

Thursday Morning September 8th 1859. Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

Journal No 2697 — Ordered that S. H. Ralston be allowed the sum of Eight Dollars for attending Board of Commissioners at present session as per bill filed

Issued — Ordered that M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Twenty Two Dollars for making changes in appraisement of 1859 ordered by County and District Boards of Equalization as per duly authenticated bill on file

Issued — And that M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Twenty five Dollars for extra service as Auditor for quarter ending Sept. 1st 1859 as per bill filed

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Issued — Ordered that M. K. Pierce be allowed the sum of Fifty six Dollars and Ninety Five cents for services as County Auditor in full as per authenticated bill on file

James Feb. 8, 1859 — Ordered that the sum of Fifty One Dollars be deducted from the allowance made to A. W. Mathews at this session of the Board — said amount being cash advanced by the County Treasurer for corn for the use of said Mathews

Issued " " — Ordered that Jeremiah Hemstreet, James M. Gotschins and Abijah Seely be each allowed the sum of Twelve Dollars for services as Commissioners at the present Session

And the Board Adjourned.

Jeremiah Hemstreet
Abijah Seely
J. M. Gotschins

~~On the 15th day of November A. D. 1859, David Buchanan and Alexander Provines met at the Auditors office at the request of Samuel K. Hiday and Romeo B. Catlin, and on due consideration approve the official bonds of the said Hiday and Catlin. Whereat K. Hiday having notified the said Buchanan and Provines that he had been~~

On the 16th day of November, 1859 Alexander Provines and David Buchanan County Commissioners met at the Auditors office to approve the bonds of officers elect and approve the bonds of the Treasurer and Recorder elect

Alexander Provines
David Buchanan

September Special Session A. D. 1859

The Board of Commissioners in and for DeKalb county met at the Court House in said county, pursuant to a summons issued by the County Auditor. Present Their Honors Amzi Seely David Buchanan and Alexander Provines Commissioners. Present also M. F. Pierce Clerk of said Board and S. W. Ralston Sheriff of said County.

David Buchanan and Alexander Provines having produced sufficient evidence that They had been duly elected Commissioners of said County at the October election of 1859; the Board proceed to organize.

John Ralston, the person elected to the office of Clerk of DeKalb County, Romeo B. Catlin the person elected to the office of Treasurer of DeKalb county, and Samuel W. Widney the person elected to the office of Recorder of DeKalb County, now present to the Board their official bonds for examination and on due consideration the Board approve of said Bonds

It is understood that in the above Record the Bonds of Catlin and Widney are approved by Alexander Provines and David Buchanan

The Board adjourned until to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock at the Auditors office.

Amzi Seely
A Provines
David Buchanan

Tuesday Morning November 22nd. 1859. The Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday The Record of the proceedings of yesterday was read and approved

Ordered that Amzi Seely, David Buchannan and A Provines be each allowed the sum of Six dollars for services as Commissioners at the present session.

And that S. W. Ralston be allowed the sum of Four Dollars for services as Sheriff at the present session of the Board

And the Board adjourned

Amzi Seely
David Buchanan
A Provines

December Session A. D. 1859

The Board of Commissioners in and for DeKalb County, met at the Court House on Monday the 5th. day of December A. D. 1859 in pursuance of law. Present their Hons. Simon Doty, David Buchanan, and A. Perrines, Commissioners. Present also N. F. Pierce, Auditor of said County and Clerk of said Board. Present also S. W. Ralston Sheriff of said County.

The being legally organized proceed to business

Certificate of Election filed in Dec. 5th 1859

It appearing from a certificate of the Clerk of the DeKalb Circuit Court filed in open session that a vacancy existed in the office of Constable in Newville Township. the Board appoint James B. Bishop to fill said vacancy

Ordered the following named persons be each allowed the sum of One Dollar and mileage for services as Return Judges of the October Election A. D. 1859. to wit:

Dec 5 1859 No 3033	J. N. Young	1 day and	0	miles		$1.72
" 3034	Joseph Watter	1 " "	5	"		1.60
" 3035	Lott Herrick	1 " "	12	"		1.96
" 3036	A. N. Bloom	1 " "	14	"		2.04
" 3037	Robert Axford	1 " "	14	"		2.12
" 3038	P. B. Simmons	1 " "	10	"		1.80
" 3039	John Davis	1 " "	2	"		1.16
" 3040	Washington Teeters	1 " "	3	"		1.24
" 3041	Daniel Gonser	1 " "	11	"		1.88
" 3042	Cyrus Bowman	1 " "	6	"		1.48
" 3043	E. H. Taylor	1 " "	9	"		1.72
" 3045	Gilbert C. Everett	1 " "	15	"		2.20

Ordered that Gilbert C. Everett be allowed the sum of Two $\frac{20}{100}$ dollars for making return of Special Election held in Troy Township. as per certificate of Clerk of Circuit Court. No 3046

Dec 5. 1859 No 3047 Ordered that Lodema Delamo be allowed the sum of Seven dollars for boarding, lodging and nursing one Lydia Holden as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Smithfield Township

Dec 5. 1859 No 3049 Ordered that W. R. Chilson be allowed the sum of Two $\frac{25}{100}$ Dollars for three bottles of Writing Fluid furnished Recorder's Office as per bill filed and certified to by County Recorder.

Dec. 5. 1859 No 3048 Ordered that Christian Foltz be allowed the sum of One Dollar for services as Overseer of Poor in Richland Township as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of said Township

Dec. 5. 1859 No 3050 Ordered that Wm. C. Rusk be allowed the sum of Fifty cents for glazing windows in County Offices as per bill filed and certified to by Co. Auditor

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Comes now in open session John Butt and asks the Board to grant him a License to vend Spirituous Vinous and Malt Liquors; and there being sufficient evidence on file that notice had been given in a Public Newspaper printed in the County for four consecutive weeks, that said Butt would apply at the present session of the Board for such License, and said Butt producing to the Board evidence that he is a man of good moral character, the Board after mature deliberation

Ordered That John Butt be authorized to sell and vend Spirituous Vinous and Malt Liquors under the provisions of An act entitled

Licens issued
Dec. 1st 69

"An act to regulate and License the sale of Spirituous Vinous and Malt Liquors
"and other intoxicating liquors, to prohibit the adulteration of liquors, to
"repeal all former laws contravening the provisions of this act, and providing
"penalties for violation thereof." Approved March 6th. 1869."

Dec 1st 69
Sworn to
No. 3051

Ordered Jacob Skinner be allowed the sum of Seven Dollars for services as Justice of the Peace in State cases as per duly authenticated bill on file

Dec 6. 69
No 3052

Ordered That William Beate be allowed the sum of Four Dollars for services as Constable in State cases as per duly authenticated bill on file.

No 3053

And That Benj. S. Bailey be allowed the sum of One and 50/100 Dollars for services as Constable in State cases as per duly authenticated bill on file.

Jeremiah Plum, Coroner of DeKalb County presents to the Board a report of which the following is a true copy

State of Indiana }
DeKalb County SS }

I Jeremiah Plum, Coroner of DeKalb County, Indiana do certify that at an Inquest held on the Body of Charles Reyer, the following persons are entitled to the fees placed opposite their names for services as Jurors.

Dec 6. 69 No. 3054	H. Grimes	Seventy five cents	No 3060	N. S. Gas	Seventy five cents
" " 3055	B. Fraser	" "	" 3061	James Patton	" "
" " 3056	L. S. Ford	" "	" 3062	Franklin Jones	" "
" " 3057	Stephen Patton	" "	" 3063	Manson Plum	" "
" " 3058	Henry Espy	" "	" 3064	A. C. Mead	" "
" " 3059	John Johnson	" "	" 3065	John N. Miller	" "

No 3066, 3067, 3068, 3069

Ordered that Robert Reyer, Cornelia Meyer, Reuben Ettinger and Z. Bro be each allowed the sum of Fifty cents for services as witness in above inquest.

No 3070

Ordered That H. H. Dill be allowed the sum of One and 50/100 Dollars for services as Special Constable in above case

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Dec 6/59 No 3071 — Ordered That S. H. Ralston be allowed the sum of One $\frac{20}{100}$ Dollars for notifying Coroner in case of suicide of Charles Ryer, as per certificate of Coroner

No 3142 / 3158 — Ordered that Jeremiah Plum be allowed the sum of Five Dollars for service as Coroner in case of suicide of Charles Ryer as per bill filed

Dec 6. 59 No 3071 — Ordered That Johnathan Hall be allowed the sum of One $\frac{20}{100}$ Dollars for services as Constable in case of Inquest on the body of Geo Lantt as per certificate of Coroner

Bill passed Dec 10th 59. — Ordered That Jacob Knapp 3125 Isaac P. Bowers 3126 John H. Pyle 3127 Reuben Johnson 3129 Levi Fransworth 3128 Perry Blodgett 3129 William Townsend 3130 Thomas 3131 John Hooks 3132 Daniel Ettenburg 3133 William Smith 3110 and Hugh Shinn 3108 be each allowed the sum of twenty five cents for services as jurors at the Inquest held on the Body of Jacob Knapp.

And that James P. Chamberlain, Elija Place 3134 Jno Place 3135 Tina L. Hoodlemeier 3136 gad R. Cooper, Roland Spear 3137, Wm. Smith 3138, Nicholas Place 3139 Leonard Hoodlemeier, Henry Eccleburn 3141, Wm. Walsworth 3142, Perry Blodgett 3143 and Jacob Knapp Jr 3144 be each allowed the sum of fifty cents for services as witness in said case

Bill passed Dec 10th 59.

And that John C. P. Shelock be allowed the sum of Three $\frac{50}{100}$ Dollars for services as Constable in said case. No 3145

And that William Spear be allowed the sum of One Dollar for notifying Coroner. No 3146

And that Wm. Spear and Isaac Spear be each allowed the sum of Two Dollars for watching dead body of said Knapp two days No 3147 & 3148.

And that James P. Likens and Thomas Likens be each allowed the sum of Two and $\frac{50}{100}$ Dollars for watching dead body and burying same No 3149 & 3150.

And that James M. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of Three dollars for making examination at Coroners inquest on the body of said Knapp. No 3151.

And that J. & R. Ettinger be allowed the sum of Ten Dollars for making Coffin for said Knapp. No 3160 & 3161

And that H. Park & Son be allowed the sum of $\frac{95}{100}$ Dollars for for goods for shroud for said Knapp No 3156

And that Jeremiah Plum be allowed the sum of Five dollars for services as Coroner in abve case No 3157

And that H. N. Dils be allowed the sum of Five dollars for services as Attorney in abve case. No 3095 3095

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow at 8 o'clock

Amos Tully
David Buchanan
Supervisors

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Tuesday Morning December 5th A.D. 1859 The Board met pursuant to adjournment Present the same as yesterday.

Ordered that Jeremiah Plum be allowed the sum of One and $\frac{10}{100}$ Dols for serving Precepts on Commissioners and mileage, as per duly authenticated bill on file

No 3158

John Coy. Joseph Watter, and Isaac Faindt the persons appointed to view a Road in Jackson Township. Present to the Board a report of their proceedings as such viewers. said Report is in words and figures as follows, to wit:

Nov. the 26th 1859

"We the undersigned viewers make the following report. That a Road running "on a line set forth in said petition would be of public utility. Com- "mencing at the quarter post between Sections Seventeen (17) and Twenty (20) "in Jackson Township, Dearborn County, to run South through the centre "of Section Twenty (20) and Twenty Nine (29) until it intersects the Spen- "cerville Road." and we therefore grant the same a road Thirty feet wide."

On due consideration, the Board accept the above report and establish the same as a Public Highway

Ordered that Sheets & Braden be allowed the sum of Sixty Nine & $\frac{95}{100}$ Dollars for Books and Stationery furnished County, as per authenticated bill on file.

No 3163.

Recd Dec 12. 59 No 3165. 3166 + 3167.

Ordered That John Coy, Joseph Watter and Isaac Faindt be each allowed the Sum of One dollar for services as Road viewers one day, and that Jacob Manner be allowed the sum of Twenty Five cents for qualifying said viewers, as per bill filed

Henry Sherlock, George Clark and Joseph Miller, the Persons appointed to view a Road passing through the premises of Jacob Flennar in Butler Township and to assess the damages accruing to said Flennar on account of said road passing through said premises, now submit their report as such viewers; said Report is in words and figures as follows to wit.

No 3219 Rec'd Dec 13. 59

"We, the undersigned viewers after being duly sworn proceeded to view the within named "Road, and to assess damages to Jacob Flennar at Thirty Five dollars."

Henry Sherlock 3
George Clark 3 Viewers
Joseph Miller 3

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No 3169 Ordered that Henry Sherlock, George Clark and Joseph Miller be each allowed the sum of One Dollar for services as viewers one day as per bill filed

No 3170

No 3237 Ordered That Daniel Salander be allowed the sum of Eleven & 15/100 Dollars for clothing furnished one Catherine Fought. a Poor Person as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Smithfield Township.

No 3238 Ordered that Daniel Salander be allowed the sum of Twenty Three dollars for boarding one Catherine Fought. a poor person as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Smithfield Township

Ordered that George Trenty be allowed the sum of Six and 50/100 Dollars for

No 3192 work done on County farm as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent of County Asylum

Edward Wright and Henry Deits the persons appointed to view a road for a road in Fairfield Township present to the Board a Report of their proceedings as such viewers. said report is in words and figures as follows to wit.

"We the undersigned viewers after being duly sworn proceed to view and lay "out a certain Road to commence Eighty Rods north of the section "corners of Sections 2. 3. 10 & 11 in Fairfield Township in said County, "thence west through Ephraim Shipes lot to the corner of land owned by "John Ritter & John Shipe. thence west on said line of A Stonys lands "and continue west till it intersects the north and south road that "runs through O. A. Stonys lands, and believe it to be of public utility, "and that it shall be Twenty five feet wide."

"Given under our hand this 25th day of November 1859."

Edward Wright } appraisers
Henry Deits }

No 3171 "Ordered that Edward Wright and Henry Deits be each allowed the sum of
No 3172 "of one dollar for services as viewers on above road as per bill "filed."

No 3225 Ordered that John A. Dittmers be allowed the sum of Two & 70/100 dollars for Lumber furnished County Asylum as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent of said Asylum

Journal Dec 7th 59 Ordered that the sum of Thirty Eight dollars be and is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of a Bridge across Indian branch near the residence of Joseph Miller and not to be drawn for until said bridge is completed.

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A petition signed by numerous citizens of Fairfield Township was now presented to the Board, praying for a view for a road for a road. Said petition is in words and figures as follows to wit:

"To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County Indiana.
"Your humble petitioners pray your honorable body to grant a view on
"change in the road running west from Henry Gowens South West-
"corner of to in Fairfield Township, to the Indian Lake and West to the
"county line, as follows: To commence at the angle at or near
"David Rhinehart gate, thence east on the nearest and best ground so as
"to cross the creek north of Cornelius Wirts' millclam to the Bridge
"across said Wirts tail race, thence east bearing south with the
"slope of the Hill, to the north and south road, thence North to the
"section line thence east to intersect the road at the first angle, east
"of the School House, and your humble petitioners will ever pray."

Cor. issued to Wm. Willis & Nicholas McEntire & Harrison Jones Dec 4, 1859

Ordered that Henry Willis, Nicholas McEntire & Harrison Jones be appointed viewers to view a road for said road

No. 3115 & 3116 3117 Nos. 3118 & 3119

Ordered that Steele & Wise be allowed the sum of Fifteen and 67/100 Dollars for Goods furnished county paupers as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent of County Asylum

Ordered that M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of Two hundred and Seventy dollars for making duplicates of 1859 as per duly authenticated bill on file

Dec 8 1859 No. 3207

Ordered that N. H. Mathews be allowed the sum of Eleven and 50/100 Dollars for going for Doctor and for work done on County farm as per bill filed

No. 3196 to 3198 & 3206, 3208, 3209

And that N. H. Mathews be allowed the sum of Two hundred and Seventy Two and 50/100 Dollars for boarding paupers as per bill filed

No. 3191

Ordered that J. B. Ward be allowed the sum of Twelve and 25/100 Dollars for Boots and Shoes furnished paupers in Co. Asylum as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent of Co Asylum

No. 3202

Ordered that C. S. Hare be allowed the sum of Seventy five & 21/100 dollars for disbursing funds as per duly authenticated bill on file

No. 3203

And that C. S. Hare be allowed the sum of Twelve and 50/100 Dollars for interest paid on Co. Orders as per bill filed.

No. 3204

And that C. S. Hare be allowed the sum of $4 and 20/100 Dollars for cash advanced on freight as per duly authenticated bill on file

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No 3154 Ordered that John Doyle be allowed the sum of Five Dollars for taking care of Mrs Knapp during the time the Inquest was held on the body of Jacob Knapp his per bill filed and sworn to.

No 3152 Ordered that W. Park & Son be allowed the sum of Eight and 31/100 Dollars for goods furnished County paupers as per bill filed and certificate to by Superintendent of Asylum

No 3153 Ordered that Job. C. Smith be allowed the sum of One and 23/100 dollars for medicine furnished paupers in the Asylum as per bill filed & certificate to by Superintendent of the Asylum

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock A.M.

Amzi Seely
David Buchanan
A Provines

Wednesday Morning December 7th. 1859. The Board met pursuant to adjournment. present the same as yesterday.

Certificate issued No 3180

It appearing to the Board that a vacancy exists in the office of Township Trustee of Butler Township. it is ordered That Orin C. Clark be and he is hereby appointed to fill said vacancy

No 3184 Ordered that William Seely be allowed the sum of Two Dollars for making Ballot Box for Concord Township as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of said Township

Journal &c. 12th 1859 3187 Ordered that W. P. Dickinson be allowed Thirty Five Dollars for advertising Notice of Treasurer to Tax Payers six weeks. Fifty tiles for same. Coroners notice & Inquest three weeks. same Three weeks. Election notice Three weeks. and one election notice six weeks as per bill filed and sworn to

Ordered that the sum of One Hundred Dollars be and is hereby appropriated to aid in repairing the Bridge across the Little St Joseph River at Orangeville to be expended under the supervision of George D. Hartsook and not to be drawn until said repair is completed

No 3154 No 3155 Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of Nine 100/100 Dollars for services as County Physician for quarter ending Dec. 1. 1859 as per bill filed and sworn to

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No 3115 Ordered that C. C. P. Pierce be allowed the sum of Fifty cents for repairing Clock in Recorders Office as per authenticated bill on file

No 3116 Ordered that one copy of the "Free Era" published at Auburn Ind. and one copy of the "Dutarior Press" be taken by the County for future reference, and that the Auditor be directed to issue an order to the proprietors of each of said papers for the amount of the subscription price by each paper

No 3120 Ordered that Steige & Troy be allowed the sum of Eight and 75/100 Dollars No 3121 for goods furnished Wm. Johnson, a poor person as per bills filed and certified to by Trustee of Jackson Township.

No 3097, 3098 Ordered that Wm. Ballew be allowed the sum of Thirty Dollars for No 3099 & 3100. taking care of Mrs. Knapp, now in the County Jail as per bill filed and certified to by Sheriff

Ordered that M. F. Pierce be allowed the sum of One hundred and Twenty Two and 41/100 Dollars for services as County Auditor in part as per authenticated bill on file

No 3124 Ordered that T. Horney be allowed the sum of Eight and 45/100 Dollars for sawing lumber for County Asylum as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent of County Asylum.

No 3123 & 3125 Ordered that J. D. Davis be allowed the sum of 22/100 Dollars for glass for County Offices as per bill filed and certified to by County Agent.

No 3122 And that J. D. Davis be allowed the sum of 20/100 Dollars for nails for use of County Asylum as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent of County Asylum

No 3101 & 3102 D. W. Ralston Sheriff, now presents to the Board the following bill duly authenticated, which the Board allow.

No 3101 & 3102	To Summonsing Jurors at Nov. Term of Common Pleas Court and attending same	$33.00
No 3103	" Advertising General and Special Elections for 1859	10.00
No 3104	" Committing, Boarding and Releasing John A Carr in Co Jail	3.50
No 3105 & 3106	" Summonsing Grand & Petit Jurors for Oct Term of Circuit Court and attending same	30.00
No 3111	" Serving notice on Each of the Commissioners for Special Session	2.20
No 3112	" Committing Knapp & Knapp to Jail and Boarding same J. Knapp	2.00
No 3113	For Extra services as Sheriff for quarter ending Dec 1. 1859	20.00

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No 1122½ Ordered That J. D. Davis be allowed the sum of Fourteen and 63/100 Dollars for Stove, Stove Pipe and Zinc for Clerks office as per bill filed and certified to by County Clerk.

No 1123

Ordered that M. T. Pierce be allowed the sum of Twenty five dollars for services extra as Auditor as per bill filed

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock

Thursday Morning December 8th A. D. 1859.

Amos Seely
David Buchanan
D Bovines

Thursday Morning December 8th A. D. 1859. The Board met pursuant to adjournment. present the same as yesterday.

No 1151 Ordered that Lewis Bowes be allowed the sum of One Dollar for 3⅓ lbs of candles furnished Clerks office as per bill filed and certified to by Clerk

Recorded No. 1152. Ordered that S. W. Spotts be allowed the sum of Twenty Five Dollars for extra services as Clerk for quarter ending December 1st A. D. 1859 as per duly authenticated bill on file

The Auditor now presents to the Board the Mortgages, Register and Vouchers of the amount of Sinking Fund Received from the Board of Sinking Fund Commissioners and after ~~Examination~~ examination the Board declare that the amount received from the said Board of Sinking Fund Commissioners has been properly loaned, and that the same is amply secured according to law as shown us by Auditor

Ordered That M. T. Pierce be allowed the sum of Ten and 46/100 Dollars for services as Auditor at present session as per files

No 1167 Ordered that S. M. Fullerton be allowed the sum of Eight Dollars for attending Board of Commissioners at December Session 1859

Recorded Dec 19th 1859 No 1168 George Kuhlman presents to Board his bill for printing the List of Delinquent Lands and Town Lots in Dubuque County for the year 1859, amounting to Five hundred & forty eight and 46/100 dollars, and the Board allow Sixty Nine and 54/100 dollars of said bill

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Ordered that Angi Lesly. David Buchanan and A. Raines be each allowed the sum of twelve dollars for services as Commissioners at present session of Board

Ordered that the Board adjourned

Angi Lesly
David Buchanan
A Raines

January Special Session 1860.

Board of Commissioners in and for DeKalb County met at the Court House in said County on Saturday January 14th A.D. 1860 in obedience to a precept issued by the Auditor and returned by the Sheriff in open session Present their Honors Amzi Sully David Buchanan and A Provines. & A McClellan Deputy Auditor and Samuel W. Ralston Sheriff

The Board now proceed to open and examine certain proposals for renting the County Farm and for Boarding and lodging the Paupers of said County and after examining the several proposals and duly considering the same accept the proposition made by N. H. Mathews. therefor

Ordered that N. H. Mathews be and is hereby appointed Superintendent of the County Asylum of DeKalb County for one year from the first day of March 1860.

He (N. H Mathews) agrees to pay Two 30/100 Dollars per acre rent for the farm and board the Paupers for Two Dollars pr week each.

Issued July 4th 1860 Ordered that Samuel W. Ralston be allowed the
A. 8298 Sum of Two Dollars for attending board of Commissioners
at present term.

Issued Jan 14. 1860 Ordered that Amzi Sully David Buchanan and
A. 8296 8297 Alexander Provines be each allowed the Sum of Three
, 8297 Dollars for Servies as Commissioners at present term

Amzi Sully
David Buchanan
A Provines

March Session A. D. 1860

Board of Commissioners in and for DeKalb County met at the Court House in said County on the Fifth day of March A. D. 1860 Present Simri Seely, David Buchanan and Alexander Provines, Commissioners. Present also M. H. Pierce Auditor of said County and Clerk of said Board and S. H. Ralston Sheriff of said County.

A petition is now presented to the Board asking for the location of a Road. Said Petition is in words and figures as follows to wit: "To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County and State of Indiana. The undersigned petitioners pray for the granting and laying out a road as follows to wit:

Commencing on the section line between sections Nine and Ten in Union Township, DeKalb County, Ind. at the point where the Road from Auburn to Interlaken crosses said line, thence south on said section line until it strikes Cedar Creek, thence in a south easterly direction until it intersects the Morning Star Road leading from Auburn, thence in a south easterly direction until it intersects the section line between sections Twenty one and Twenty Two, thence south on said section line until it intersects the road running from Auburn to Spencerville in Jackson Township in DeKalb County Ind.

Copy issued and delivered to Sheriff March 17, 60

We, your petitioners, ask the attention of your Hon Body to this enterprise as it would be a great advantage to those immediately on the proposed road and the travelling community in general

On due consideration the Board accept the petition and appoint John Coy James Moore and Isaac Jones Co as viewers to view a road for the route as above described

Joseph Walters

The trustee of Jackson Township now presents to Board his annual report of the Receipts and expenditures of said Township for the year ending March 1st 1860, which report being satisfactory the same is adopted.

Received March 5. 60

Isaac Ketner the Trustee of Union Township, Lewis Bowman the Trustee of Smithfield Township, and E. H. Taylor Trustee of Franklin Twp. now present their annual reports of the Receipts and expenditures of their respective Townships, which reports being satisfactory the Board accept the same.

William Brown the Trustee of Stafford Township now presents his annual report of the receipts and expenditures of said Township for the year ending March 1. 1860 which report being satisfactory the Board accept the same

The following persons now presents their Bills for services as Trustees, which the Board on due consideration allow to wit

To Joseph Walters Trustee of Jackson Township Fifty nine 4/100 Dollars to be paid out of the funds of said Township, and One 00/100 Dollars to be paid out of the County Funds

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To Cyrus Bowman Trustee of Smithfield Township Forty Six $^{24}/_{100}$ Dollars to be paid out of the funds of said Township.

To Isaac Lindsey Trustee of Union Township Fifty Two $^{25}/_{100}$ Dollars to be paid out of the funds of said Township.

To, Edward H Taylor Trustee of Franklin Township Forty Four Dollars to be paid out of the funds of said Township

To William Brown Trustee of Stafford Township Twenty five $^{30}/_{100}$ Dollars to be paid out of the funds of said Township

And the Board adjourned to meet to morrow morning at 8 o'clock

Aury Seely
David Buchanan
A Bowmes

Tuesday Morning March 5th A. D. 1861. Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present the same as yesterday

A Petition signed by divers citizens of DeKalb County was now presented to the Board asking for the location of a Road. which petition, is in words and figures as follows to wit:

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County and State of Indiana.

Certificate issued March 5th 1861.

We the undersigned freeholders of the County and State aforesaid would respectfully petition your honorable body to locate a Public Highway. Commencing at the east end of Complete street in the village of Corunna. Thence south across the Rail Road ~~on land~~ track. Thence east along the south side of said Rail Road on land owned by William Merry Jr. until it strikes the east line of said Merryland and then to end. Said Road will run through lands, owned by William Merry Jun, Abraham McMillen, and the Michigan Southern and Northern Indiana Rail Road Company

On due consideration the Board accept the petition and appoint George Crowley. Samuel H. White, & Joshua Eaves viewers to view a road for a road as above described

Gilbert C. Everett the Trustee of Troy Township now presents to the Board his annual report of the Receipts and Expenditures of said Township for the year ending March 1st 1860. which report being satisfactory the Board approve the same.

Ordered That Gilbert C. Everett be allowed the sum of Forty, Two Dollars for services as Trustee of Troy Township to be paid out of the funds of said Township

Issued March 5th 1861 No. 3412.

Ordered That R. B. Cattin be allowed the sum of One $^{50}/_{100}$ Dollars for goods furnished Mrs. Goodwin a poor person as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of said Township

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Issued March 12th 1860 No. 3413.

Ordered that Jarvis Porter be allowed the sum of Five Dollars for taking charge of Michael Campbell a poor person of Union Township as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of said Township.

Issued March 12th 1860 No. 3414

Ordered that Simon Ochs be allowed the sum of Thirteen & 25/100 Dollars for goods furnished Ann Goodwin a poor person of Concord Township as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of said Township

Issued March 12th 1860 No. 3444

Ordered that Daniel Salander be allowed the sum of Thirteen Dollars for Rubbing and lodging Catherine Fourshe a poor person of Smithfield Township as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of said Township

Certificate Issued March 12th 1860

A petition is now presented to the Board asking for the privilege of electing an additional Justice of the Peace in Newell Township, and on due consideration the Board grant the prayer of said petition.

Issued March 12th 1860 No 3401

Ordered that Lyman Bowman ~~One~~ be allowed the Sum of One and 85/100 Dollars. for Cash advanced for grave cloth for Lyda Holden a poor person as pr Bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Smithfield Township

Receipts & Expenditures Received March 6. 1860

Washington Fieles the Trustee of Richland Township now presents to the Board his annual report of the receipts and expenditures of said Township for the year ending March 12th 1860. which report being satisfactory the Board approve the same

Ordered that Washington Fieles be Allowed the sum of Forty and ~~Fifty~~ 00/100 Dollars for service as Trustee of Richland Township. to be paid out of the funds of said Township.

Issued March 12th 1860 No. 3445

Ordered that J. N. Young. be allowed the sum of One and 63/100 Dollars for provision furnished Whelply a poor person as pr bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Butler Township.

Receipts & Expenditures Received March 6. 1860

Orrin C Clark the Trustee of Butler Township. now presents his report of the Receipts and Expenditures of said Township for the Year ending March 12th 1860. which report being satisfactory to the Board approved.

Ordered that J. N. Young be allowed the sum of Twenty five and 40/100 Dollars. and that O. C. Clark be Allowed the sum of Nine and 60/100 for servis as Trustee of Butler Township. to be paid out of the funds of said Township.

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Canal Comer the Trustee of Fairfield Township. Now present to the Board his annual report of the Receipts and Expenditures of said Township for the Year ending March 1st 1860. which the report being satisfactory the Board approve the same.

Ordered that Canal Comer the Trustee of Fairfield Township be allowed the sum of Forty and 82/100 Dollars for service as Trustee to be paid out of the funds of said Township.

Issued March 1st 1860 No 3426 — Ordered that Hannaton Fetter be allowed the sum of Two Dollars for Service as Superintendent of Bridge. as per bill filed and certified to.

Issued March 12th 1860 No 3427 — Ordered that German Chidley be allowed the sum of Two Dollars for service as (overseer) Superintendent of Bridge as per Bill & certified to.

No 3427 March 12/60 — Ordered that John A Pitman be allowed the sum Four and 50/100 for Plank furnished for Bridge as per Bill filed and certified to.

No 3428 March 12/60 — Ordered that John A Pitman be allowed the Sum of Eight and 48/100 Dollars for Plank for Bridge as per Bill filed and certified to by the superintendent thereof.

P. B. Simmons the Trustee of Wilmington Township now presents to the Board his annual report of the Receipts and expenditures of said Township. for the year ending march 1st 1860. which report being Satisfactory the board approve

Ordered that P. B. Simmons be allowed the Sum of Thirty-Eight and 37/100 Dollars. for service as Trustee of Wilmington Township. to be paid out of the funds of said Township.

No 3436 March 12, 60 — Ordered that George Wentz be allowed the sum of Three Dollars for work on County farm as per bill filed and certified to by the Superintendent.

Issued March 12th 1860 No 3446 — Ordered that James Bell be allowed the sum of Three Dollar for three days service as Road viewer. as per bill filed and certified to.

Sol. Hench the Trustee of Concord Township now presents to the Board his annual report of the receipts and expenditures of said Township for the Year ending March 1st 1860 which report the Board approve

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Ordered that Lott Hewick be allowed the sum of Seventy four and 6/100 for servis as Trustee of Concord Township - to be paid out of the funds of said Township

Albert N Blood the Trustee of Newville Township now presents to the Board his annual report of the Receipts and expenditures of said Township for the Year ending March A 1860 which report the Board approve.

Ordered that Albert N Blood be allowed the sum of Thirty Dollars for servis as Trustee of Newville Township to be paid out of the funds of said Township.

Issued March 12th 1860 No 3447. Ordered that John Butt be allowed the sum of Twelve & 83/100 Dollars for Oil Candles and sundries for Mrs Knapp as per bill filed and certified to by County Agent. 12

Issued March 12th 1860 No. 3448. Ordered that William Warner be alld. the sum of Five Dollars for Keeping Caleb Mills a Co. Pauper as per bill filed and certified to by the Trustee of Newville Township.

Issued March 12th 1860 No. 3450. Ordered that Robert Johnson be allowed the sum of Twenty and 11/100 ~~for servis~~ for Hors rent, wood and provisions furnished Anna Goodwin as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Concord Twp

Issued March 12th 1860 No 3457. Ordered that Lott Hewick be alld. the sum of one and 50/100 Dollars for ~~s~~ shoes furnished Anna Goodwin as per bill filed and Certified to by Trustee of Concord Township. 1

J P Bess now presents to the Board a bill Amounting to Twenty Dollars for taking care of Sarah E. Goodwin a poor person and after mature deliberation the Board allow Fifteen Dollars, said bill is now on file and certified to by the Trustee of Union Township.

Issued March 10th 1860. No. 3442.

Certificate issued March 12th 1860

Ordered that an additional sum of Seventy-five Dollars be and is hereby Appropriated to aid in repairing the Bridge across the little St Joseph river at Orangeville, to be expended under the supervision of Lee D Hartsuck and not to be drawn for until said repair is completed.

N H Mathews the Person Appointed to superintend the County Asylum now presents to the Board his Bond for the faithful performance of his duty as said superintendent which Bond being signed by the said Mathews, and by John Stone

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as surty, and the Board approve the same.

Henry Willis, N. Mc Intyre and Hamion Jones the persons appointed to View a road in Fairfield Township, now submitt the following Report.

To "We the undersigned viewer after being duly sworn viewed, the following road. to Commence at or near Daniel Reinohl Gates, thence east on the best and nearest ground to Cross the Creek North of Cornelius Wirts Mill dam to the Bridge across said Mill tail race, thence east bearing South with the slope of the hill to the North and South Road, thence North to the section line, thence East to the first angle of the Road East of the school house and do consider the same of Public Utility, and the width to correspond with the other part of said Road. and when David Reinohl and Cornelius Wirts, makes the new part passable to the Road Bridge, then the old Road to be Vacated.

Certificate filed March 15th A D 1860

December 31st 1859.

Henry Willis
N Mc Intyre } Viewers
H. Jones

There being a remonstrance against the above Road. the Commissioner grant a review. the remonstrance is in words as follows

Notice is hereby given, to the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County State of Indiana. Whereas there has been a petition got up in Fairfield Township of said County praying for an alteration to be made in the road running West from Henry Gowen to Indian Lake. said alteration to be made on lands owned by David Reinohl and Cornelius West and thence East of there. We the undersigned Citizens of said Township and County having fully Satisfied that public good does not require any such alteration be made. and furthermore can show good cause why such Alteration should not be made. We therefor hereby pray your Hon. Body that said petition may not be granted. In testimony whereof we hereunto set our hands and seal This 15th day of November A.D. 1859.

Certificate filed March 15th A D 1860

After mature deliberation the Board appoint. James M. Gotshall Joshua Teagle & Lewis S Britton to review said Road.

Ordered that Henry Willis & N Mc Intyre be allowed the sum of One Dollar and Hamion Jones be allowed the sum of Two Dollars for viewing a road as per bill filed.

Warrant No 1452 & 1453

And that Daniel F Alleshire be allowed the sum of Three Dollars for surveying a road for a road as per Bill filed and certified to.

Warrant No 1201 & 1441

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Issued March 5th 1860 No. 3455 Dr. Jonas Emanuel now presents his bill for medical services rendered Mrs Goodwin a poor person of Concord Township Amounting to Forty-one and 50/100 duly Certified to by the Trustee of said Township and after mature deliberation the Board allow Twenty Dollars of said bill.

Issued March 12th 1860 No 3456, Dr. I Morris presents a bill for medical attendance and medicines for Mrs Goodwin a pauper. Certified to by Trustee of Concord Township. Amounting to Eight Dollars and the Board allow Four Dollars of said bill.

And the Board adjourned to meet to morrow morning at 8 O. Clock.

Amzi Sally
David Buchanan
A Provines

Wednesday morning March 7th 1860. Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present same as yesterday

Issued No. 3377, 3378, 3379. Ordered that Stifel and Wolf be allowed the Sum of Twelve and Ten 10/100 for goods furnished Mrs Knapp a Criminal as per bill filed and certified to by County Agent.

Issued March 10th 1860 No. 3384, 3385, 3386, 3387, 3394, 3396. Ordered that Stifel and Wolf be allowed the sum of Twenty-Three and 30/100 Dollars for goods furnished for inmates of County Asylum as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent of Asylum

Issued March 12th 1860 No. 3437. Ordered that J. G. Perkins be Allowed the Sum of Six Dollars for one copy of Perkins Digest as per bill filed and certified to by Clerk of Circuit Court.

Issued March 10th 1860 No 3402 Ordered that Georg Kuhlman be allowed the Sum of Three and 75/100 Dollars for publishing Coroners Notice of Inquest of Jacob Knapp.

Issued March 10th 1860 No. 3403. and that Geo. Kuhlman be Allowed the sum of Thirteen and 50/100 Dollars for Printing for County as per bill filed and certified to by Clerk of Court.

Issued March 10th 1860 No. 3404 Ordered that Geo Kuhlman be Allowed the Sum of Fifty Five and 25/100 Dollars for Assessors Blanks, Notice to let poor Farm and Notice to Borrowers of School Fund as per bill filed and certified to by County Auditor

Issued March 12th 1860 No 3458 Ordered that Lewis Bowers be allowed the sum of Two and 80/100 Dollars for Star Candles for use of County as per bill filed and certified to by Auditor

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Issued March 12th 1861 No 2437. Ordered that Samuel H. Kirby be allowed the sum of Two Dollars and 42/100 Dollars for Broom, matches, paper, pens, Ink and Ink stands for Recorder Office as per Bill filed and Certified to by the County Recorder.

Issued March 12th 1861 No 2438. Ordered that Jacob Willard be allowed the sum of Five Dollars for servis as superintendent of a Bridge across Cedar Creek as per bill filed and certified to by said superintendent.

Issued March 12th 1861 No 2461. Ordered that John Ralston be Allowed the sum of Five and 13/100 for Cash advanced for Oil, transportation on books, and repairing County lamps. as per, bill filed.

Issued March 12th 1861 No 2462. Ordered that J. & R. Ettinger be Allowed the sum of Eight Dollars for Coffin for Michael Campbell a County Pauper as

Issued March 12th 1861 No 2463. And that J. & R. Ettinger be Allowed the sum of Seven Dollars for Coffin for William Murphey a County Pauper as per Bills filed and Certified to by the Trustee of Union Township.

Issued March 12th 1861 No 2464. Ordered that Frederick Horne be Allowed the sum of Seven and 44/100 Dollars for sawing lumb for County Asylum as per bill filed and Certified to by the Superintendent

Butler Township

Taxes levied in Butler Township for the year 1860, by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said Township. Special School Tax 25 cts on the $100 valuation and 50 cts on each taxable poll. Township Tax Two Hundred Dollars on the Taxables of said Township, and for road purposes 15 cts on the $100 Valuation and one and 1/4 ct on each acre of land.

Jackson Township.

Taxes levied in Jackson Township for the year 1860 by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said Township. Special School Tax 25 cts on each $100 valuation and fifty cts on each taxable poll, for Township tax seven cts on the $100 valuation and for Road purposes one and 1/4 cts on each acre of taxable land and 15 cents on each $100 valuation of the property of said Township.

Concord Township.

Taxes levied in Concord Township for the year 1860 by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said Township. Special School Tax 25 ct on the $100 valuation and fifty cts on each poll, for Township purposes (6) six cts on the $100 valuation and for road purposes 15 cts on the $100 valuation

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and one and ¼ Ct. on each acre of land.

Newill Township

Taxes levied in Newill Township for the year 1860. by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said Township.
Special School Tax 25 ct on the $100. valuation and fifty Cts on each poll. Township Tax $75, on the taxable property of said Township and for Road purposes 15 ct on the $100. valuation and one and ¼ cent on each acre of land.

Stafford Township.

Taxes levied in Stafford Township for the year 1860. by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said Township.
Special School Tax. 25 Cts on the $100. valuation and 50 cts of on each poll. for Township purposes $65. on the taxable property of said Township and for Road purposes 15 ct on the $100. valuation and one and ¼ cent on each acre of taxable land.

Wilmington Township.

Taxes levied in Wilmington Township for the year 1860. by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said Township.
Special School Tax 25 cents on the $100. valuation and fifty cents on each poll for Township purposes. $75. on the Taxable property of said Township and for road purposes 15 cents on the $100. valuation and one and ¼ cent on each acre of Land.

Union Township.

Taxes levied in Union Township for the year 1860. by the Board of commissioners and the Trustee of said Township.
Special School Tax 25. cents on the $100. valuation and fifty cents on each poll for road purposes 15 cents on the $100. valuation and one ¼ cent on each acre of land.

Richland Township

Taxes levied in Richland Township for the year 1860. by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said Township.
Special School Tax 25 cents on the $100. valuation for Township purposes $100. on the taxable property of said Township and for road purposes 15 cents on the $100. valuation and one and ¼ cent on each acre of land.

Fairfield Township

Taxes levied in Fairfield Township for the year 1860. by the Board of Commissioners and the Trustee of said Township.
Special School Tax 25 cents on the $100. valuation and 50. Cents on each poll. and for Township purposes $90. on the taxable property of said Township and for Road purposes 15 Cents on the One hundred Dollars valuation and one and ¼ cent on each acre of taxable land.

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Smithfield Township

Taxes levied in Smithfield Township for the Year 1860. by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said Township. Special School Tax 25 cents on the $100. valuation and fifty cents on each poll. for Township purposes 75. on the taxable property of said Township, and for Road purposes 15 cents on the $100. valuation and one and ½ Cent on each acre of taxable land.

Franklin Township.

Taxes levied in Franklin Township for the Year 1860 by the Board of Commissioners and the Trustee of said Township. Special School Tax 25 cents on the $100. valuation and fifty cents on each poll. For Township purposes $80. on the taxable property of said Township and for Road purposes 15 cents on the $100. valuation and one and ¼ Cents on each acre of Taxable land.

Troy Township.

Taxes levied in Troy Township for the Year 1860 by the Board of Commissioners and the Trustee of said Township. Special School Tax 25 on the $100. valuation and 25. cents on each taxable poll. for Township purposes 5 cents on each $100. valuation and for Road purposes 15 cents on the $100. valuation and one and ¼ cent on each acre of Land.

Ordered that John Moon be Allowed the sum of Seven Dollars for seven Cords of Wood for the Recorders & Treasurers Office as per bill filed and certified, to by Sam. W. Widney Co. Recorder.

Issued March 12th 1860. No. 2465.

Ordered that R. B. Catlin be Allowed the sum of Twenty-two and 84/100. for. Repairs on desk. Velvet Tape & tacks. Box of Candles. Tax of Rud Maynard. Lords Report. Repairs on stove. Desk. Stamps. ~~and~~ putty and Repairs on Window as per bill Allowed and filed.

Issued March 12th 1860. No. 2466.

Ordered that James N Chamberlain be Allowed the Sum of Four and 40/100. for servics as County Phy sician as per bill filed

Issued March 12th 1860. No. 2448.

Ordered that James Colegrove, James M Cass and D. V. Dickinson be and they are hereby Appointed School examines for the ensuing Year.

Certificate Issued March 16. 1860

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Come now James Bell the Commissioner appointed at the September session 1859 of this Board to view the location of a proposed Highway as follows, to wit. Commencing at the point where the highway running from Avilla to Auburn Crosses the county line between Noble and DeKalb Counties, and running thence south two miles to a road running east from Hezekiah Cranes Store, and make report of his doings in Conjunction with R. G. Young a Commissioner appointed at the ____ Session of the Board of Commissioners of Noble County to view the proposed Highway. Which report is in these words.

"This is to certify that we as commissioners appointed by the County Board of Noble and DeKalb. To view a road for a highway as specified within. did view the same and report favorable for a road Giving the North half to DeKalb Co. Commencing where the line Crosses the road, running from Avilla to Auburn south one mile the south half (of) said Road to Noble County.

James Bell
R. G. Young } viewers

Also Comes now Samuel Kellam, Samuel Catall, Calvin Fortner, John Clark, William Tims, E. Jones, John L. Grube, Robert Trulove, William Fountain, Mary Tarlton, who file their remonstrance to the location and to the of said proposed highway and it appearing that more freeholders resident of residing along the proposed Highway to be located signed said Noble Co remonstrance than those in the petition heretofore filed, and the such is the Statute in such case made and provided had not been complied R. C. 1860 with. the said Board do decide, against the prayer of said petitioners And direct the Auditor to notify the Auditor of Noble County of the proceedings herein. And further proceedings herein Continued.

The Board now proceed to select the names of Twelve persons to serve as Grand Jurors for the April term of the DeKalb Certificate Circuit Court. and having selected the names of sixty persons issued from the Tax Duplicate of 1859. being five persons from each civil March Township. which persons possess the necessary qualification to serve as 10th Grand Jurors. and said names having been deposited in a box A. D. 1860. prepared for the purpose. the Clerk of the DeKall Circuit Court and filed in the presence, of the Board of Commissioners drew from said in the box the following names, to wit

Clerks Office	Abraham Fair of Butler.	Stewart Workenber	of Stafford
	George Smith " Jackson	Andrew Cochran	of Wilmington
	Croton	Lead D. J	" Union
	Jacob Dermot of Concord.	Joshua Fergle	" Richland
	Henry Coburn " Newville.	John King	" Wayne

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William Baird of Smithfield
Ira Kepp " Franklin } Timothy Wheeler of Troy.

Court in manner and form as above discribed. The names of Twelve persons were selected to serve as Grand Jurors for the October term of Circuit Court for 1860.

John Cribe of Butler Township. S. W. Case of Union Township.
John Coy " Jackson " T. D. Daley " Richland "
Jonathan Boyd of Concord " George McMillen of Smithfield "
James Heasley " Newville " William Barker of Smithfield "
David Frobisby " Hatfield " John Houston of Franklin "
George Eggers " Washington " Andrew J. Caruthers " Troy "

And the Board adjourns until tomorrow morning at 8.0 Clock A.

Attest Selby
David Buchanan
A Provines

Thursday morning march 8th 1860. Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present same as yesterday.

Ordered that C. L. Hill be allowed the sum of Twelve Dollars for Blank Books for the use of the County as pr bill No. 2467. filed and certified to by County Auditor.

Ordered that Stuart and Braden be allowed the sum of one hundred and Seven and 16/100 Dollars for Books and Stationery as pr bill filed and certified to by the Auditor. Clerk Recorder and Treasurer of said County.

Ordered that James Colescott be allowed the sum of Fifteen Dollars for surveying the Town of Newville as pr bill filed and certified to.

Ordered that John A. Pitman be allowed the sum of Twenty and 38/ Dollars for Wood furnished County as pr bill filed and certified by County Agent.

Ordered that Union Township be divided through the Center of said Township East and West, to wit, on section Certificate lines between section Thirteen and Twenty four, Fourteen and Twenty three, fifteen and twenty two, sixteen and twenty one, seventeen Adam Stoh and twenty and eighteen and nineteen for Election purposes, and that the precinct for voting in the North half be located at the house in the Town of Watts. That Adam Stoh be Appointed Inspector of Elections for the said precinct till the June session of this Board.

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Issued March 12th 1860 No. 3435

Ordered that William Collins be Allowed the sum of Eight Dollars and 50/100 Dollars for taking care of Mrs Knapp as per Bill filed and Certified to by County Sheriff.

Issued March 15th 1860 No. 3445

Ordered that H Faulkner Jun be allowed the sum of Twelve and 25/100 Dollars for good furnished County as per bill filed and certified to by County Agent.

Issued March 15th 1860 No. 3446

Ordered that Mrs Smith be Allowed the sum of Thirty eight and 50/100 Dollars for taking Care of Mrs Knapp as per Bill filed and certified to by Sheriff

Issued March 15th 1860 No. 3390 & 3391

Ordered that H Groscup be allowed, the sum of Thirteen and 85/100 Dollars for sawing wood as per bill filed and certified by the County Agent.

Ordered that Mr T Pires be Allowed the sum of One hundred and Thirty-eight and 22/100 Dollars for making out Assessment Roll for 1860. as per bill filed and certified to by Auditor.

Ordered that Mr T Pires be Allowed the sum of Seventy-five and 24/100 Dollars for issuing Co Orders Registering same, Issuing Receipts, Registering same, issuing Quietus, as per bill filed and certified to

Issued March 12th 1860 No. 3470

Ordered that A. U. Winslow be Allowed the sum of Five Dollars services as Physician at the Post Mortem examination held on the Body of George Lanesque as per bill filed and sworn to.

Issued March 12th 1860 No. 3443

Ordered that Samuel Sanders be Allowed the sum of Eleven and 417/100 Dollars for Good furnished inmates of County Asylum as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent.

Issued March 12th 1860 No. 3471

Ordered that S. B. Ward be Allowed the sum of Six and 88/100 Dollars for Boots and Shoes furnished inmates of County Asylum as per bill filed and Certified to by the superintendent of the County Asylum.

Issued March 15th 1860 No. 3472

Ordered that David Heed be Allowed the sum of Eight Dollars drafing Mrs Knapp wound as per bill filed and certified to by Sheriff.

No. 3422 & No. 3424

Ordered that Samuel P Kaiser be allowed the sum of Five and 50/100 for Cash advanced as per bill filed and certified to by by sheriff.

Ordered that Samuel P Kaiser be Allowed the sum of one Dollar for Issuing Notice on Commissioners at this session. as per bill filed and certified to by Sheriff.

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Issued March 13th 1850 No. 3419 Ordered that Samuel H. Dalton be allowed the sum of Ten Dollars per mileage for January Term of the Common Pleas Court as per bill filed and certified to.

Issued March 13th 1850 No. 3421 Ordered that Samuel H. Dalton be allowed the sum of Thirty One and 95/100 Dollars for Committing Jacob Knapp, and J. Johnston, 1 day each, Boarding Jacob Knapp, and fuel for jail as per bill on file.

Issued March 13th 1850 No. 3422 Ordered that W. Park and Son be allowed the sum of Seventy five Dollars for goods furnished inmates of County Asylum as per bill filed and certified to by the Superintendent.

Issued March 13th 1850 No. 3423 Ordered that Dickinson and Baxter be allowed the sum of Two and 25/100 Dollars for publishing to borrowers of sinking fund, and notice of DeKalb County Orders as per Bill filed and certified to by the County Auditor and Treasurer.

Issued March 13th 1850 No. 3424 Ordered that J. D. Davis be allowed the Sum of Eleven and 59/100 Dollars for Hardware furnished County as per bill filed and certified to by County Agent.

March 13, 1850 No. 3440 Ordered that John Palmer be Allowed the sum of one and 25/100 Dollars for repairing windows in Court House as per bill filed and certified to by the County Agent.

March 13, 1850 No. 3493 to 3511 Nathan H. Martin presents his bill to the Board amounting to Two hundred and Eighty-Two and 85/100 and after deducting Fifty Two and 50/100 Dollars for the rent of the County farm the Board allow the balance which is Two hundred and Thirty and 35/100 Dollars as per bill on file

Issued March 13th 1850 No. 3418 Ordered that W. Park and son be allowed the sum of Five and 75/100 Dollars for Clothing furnished to inmates of the County Asylum as per bill filed and certified to by the Superintendent of County Asylum

Issued March 13th 1850 No. 3479 Ordered that William H. Moon be allowed the sum of one and 50/100 for Brick for Asylum as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent of County Asylum

No. 4957 Ordered that the sum of one hundred Dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of Road to aid in repairing the Bridges across Cedar Creek and Issued 14th Nov. 1850 Shiloh Creek to be expended under the supervision of Alonzo Lockwood not to be drawn for until said repairs is completed

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Ordered that the sum of Five Hundred Dollars be and
Certificate is hereby appropriated to aid in the ~~Construc~~ repairing a
issued March Bridge across the St Joseph River at Spencerville, to be
1th 1860 expended under the supervision of George Sammy and not
No 3794 to be drawn per until said repair is completed.

Ordered that
issued March J. D. Davis be allowed sum of Three and 87/100 for Hardware
5th 1860 furnished County Asylum as per bill filed and certified to
No 3478 by the Superintendent.

Ordered that the sum of Sixty
Certificate Dollars be and is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction
issued March of a fence around the Public Square, to be expended and
1th 1860. the supervision of Samuel W. Kelsey and not to be drawn per
until said fence is completed.

Ordered that W. Griswold
issued March be allowed the sum of One and 87/100 for an Ink Stand for
12th 1860 No County as per bill filed and certified to by County Auditor.
2480.

Amzi Selby
David Buchanan
A Rowines

Board met.
Friday morning March 9th A D 1860, pursuant to adjournment.
Present same as yesterday.

Ordered that
Issued March W. R. Chilson be allowed the sum of Three and 26/100 Dollars for envelops
10th 1860 and paper for Treasurers Office as per bill filed and certified to by
No. 3407. County Treasurer.

And that
Issued March W. R Chilson be allowed the sum of One and 76/100 Dollars for envelops
10th 1860 and Inks for ~~Treasurer~~ Auditors Office as per bill filed and certified
No 3410. to by Auditor.

Ordered that
Issued March Job C Smith be allowed the sum of Three and 70/100 Dollars
9th 1860 for goods furnished County as per bill filed and certified to
No. 3387 by the County Agent

Ordered that
Issued three Thos J. Smith be allowed the sum of Four and fifty one
10th 1860 hundredths for attending Mrs Knapp as per bill filed and
No. 3417 Certified to by the Sheriff.

John Ralston the County
Clerk now presents to and files the following bill, and
makes proof Auburn Indiana March 1 7th 1860
DeKalb County Indiana.

To the Clerk of the Circuit and

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Common Pleas Court of said County Dr.
To the following Acct. which contains a portion of the items usually included in the allowance which has heretofore been made by the Board of Commissioners of said County to said Clerk for extra services by him performed in the fulfillment of the duties of his Office as is required by law—

Jan. 1860.	85	entries on Bar Docket	15c	12.90
" "	1	Cert. of Allowance made by Court Jan. T. 60		.60
" "	3	" " " " " " " " "		1.80
Feb. "	6	Precpt to Sheriff of Clinton & P in Spring T 60		3.00
Jan "	1	Venire & pol. for Jan. Term C. C. C. 1860		.55
March "	1	" " " " Appl " C. C. "		.55
Jan. "		Oath & Ent. on C. C. Jan. T. 60 of G. H. Kauffman Atty		.30
" "		List of Attys at Jan. T. 60 C. C. P. Court		.10
" "		fil Bond & Justice Cert & ent on Rec Co office		.20
March "		Cert on Rec. Geo Barney Notary Public " "		.15
Jan "		Ent Allowance on Order Book		.15
" "		Ent Meeting & Adjournment of Court Jan Term 1860. 10c		1.20
" "		Costs in Case of State of Indiana vs. H. Coe Surety of Roe		2.45
Feb 11. 1860		fil mar. Cert.		.05
" 21.	"	" " "		.05
Jan 7th	"	" " "		.05
" 10	"	" " "		.05
" 31	"	" " "		.15
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Dec 26	"	" " "		.05
" 27.	"	" " "		.05
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" 17	"	" " "		.05
" 20	"	" " "		.05

Carried forward

Affidavit taken and Commissioner's Cert. March 17th 1860.

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Jno. Ralstons Bill Continued

Jan. 17th	1860	fel. mer. Cert.	.05
"	20.	" " " "	.05
Feb'y	5	" " " "	.05
Feb.	11.	" " " "	.05
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"	11.	" " " "	.05
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"	5	" " " "	.05
March	6th	" " " "	.05
"	6	" " " "	.05
"	6	" " " "	.05
"	6.	" " " "	.05

Total $ 26.60

Jno Ralston Clerk of the D. K. Circuit, and Common Pleas Court. DeKalb Co. Ind.

State of Indiana.
DeKalb County S.S.

I John Ralston sworn that I verily believe the within account to be true. so, help me God.

Jno Ralston.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this ninth day of March 1860.

James B. Morrison Notary Public

Which Account upon due consideration of the Board is not allowed.

Ordered That

Issued March 13th 1860 No. 2482. Thomas Lock be allowed the sum of Two and 60/100 Dollars for servic as Juror at the Octob term of Common Pleas Court as per bill filed and certified to by Sheriff.

Ordered that

Issued March 13th 1860. No 2483. Nophi Johnson be Allowed the sum of fifty Cents for Servic as witness before Coroners inquest on the Body of Jacob Knapp as per bill filed and certified to by the Coroner.

Issued March 13th 1860 No 2484. Ordered that Isaac B Smith be allowed the sum of Two Dollars for carring Papers to Coroner Coghlan as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Smithfield Township.

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Comes now William H Dills who presents, files and make proof of the following bills.

DeKalb County to

William H Dills Dr

1860 To service in prosecuting Jacob Knapp & Nicholas Place and Elijah J. Place on Charge of murder before Jesp Davis $15.00

W. H Dills.

I D Davis states that Wm. H. Dills performed the service above charged Dated this 5th March 1860

I D Davis Justice

DeKalb County to

William H Dills Dr

1859 To service in prosecuting Elizabeth Knapp on Charge of Murder before Jesp Davis. 4 days 10$ pr day $40,00

W H Dills

I Joseph D Davis a Justice of the Peace in and for in and for DeKalb County Indiana. do hereby certify that W H Dills performed the service as Charged above and that the time occupied in said prosecution as above Charged. March 5th 1860.

J D Davis Justice.

Issued March 10th 1860 Of Which Accounts on due Consideration Board allow Thirty Dollars, (of said bills, and No. 3 4 5 6 refuse to allow the balance.

Comes now Samuel W Ralston presents and files the following bill to wit.

DeKalb County to.

S. W Ralston Dr

Feb 22/60 To arresting Joseph Beck on Two Warents $ 6. 80
" " Supoenes 3. 92
Dec 18th/60 Arresting John Clark on Two Warents 6, 92
" " Supoenes 3. 10
Dec 30th/60. To Arresting Timothy R Sears 2, 50
on Subpoena 3. 10

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S. W Ralston Sheff.
D. C.

On due consideration the Board refuse to allow the above bill of S W Ralston.

The County Auditor now presents, files and offers proof of the following Bill to wit.

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DeKalb County to

Wm F Vice Dr

To Issuing 17 Certificates with seal 50 cts		8.50
" " 39 " without seal 25 cts		9.75
" Filing 365 Papers 5 cts		18.25
" Indexing Commissioners Record		6.30
		$42.80

I hereby Certify that the above bill is correct and unpaid this 5th day of March 1860.

Wm F Vice Asst D H Co

Which account upon due Consideration the Board is of ~~to~~ allowed ~~on you a reas on therefor, to allow~~ the bill

I O Davis presents an
Issued March 12th 1860 No. 3475. account for service as Justice Amounting to Eleven and 30/100 Dollars and on due consideration the Board allow Five and 66/100 Dollars of said account, as per Bill on File and certified to.

and I O Davis,
Issued March 12th 1860 No 3477 presents an account for service as Justice in case of State vs Jacob Knapp. Amounting to Two and 7/100. of which account the Board allows one Dollar as per bill on file

and I O Davis presents
Issued March 12th 1860 No 3477 a bill Amounting to Two and 15/100 Dollars for service as Justice of the Peace in the case, of the State vs N Pierce and Jo J Pierce. of which account the Board allowes one and 7/100 Dollars as per Bill on file

Issued March 12th 1860 No. 3485 John Thompson a constable presents a bill Amounting to Thirty and 55/100 Dollars, and on mature Deliberation the Board allows Six and 30/100 Dollars of said bill as per bill on file and certified to by Justices of the Peace

Comes now I O P Sherlock
Issued March 10th 1860 No 3486 and presents a bill Amounting to Nineteen and 26/100 Dollars for service as constable and on mature deliberation the Board allows Nine and 63/100 Dollars. as per bill filed and certified to

Lewis D Britton now
Issued March 13th 1860 No. 3488 presents a bill Amounting to Three and 20/100 Dollars for service as Justice of the Peace. and on mature deliberation the Board allows one and 60/100 Dollars. as per bill filed and certified to.

L N Inmon now
Issued March 13th 1860 No 3487 presents a bill amounting to one and 40/100 Dollars for service as Constable and on mature deliberation the board allows the sum of Twenty cents as per bill on file

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Jan 1 March 1860 No 3440 — J. C. P. Sherlock now present a bill amounting to, Two Dollars and after mature deliberation the Board of Comms. allow one Dollar of said bill which is on file and certified to by A. J. P.

Jan 1 March 1860 No 3448 — Comes now J. D. Davis and files a bill amounting to Two and 1/ Dollars for service as Justice of P. and after mature deliberation the Board allows one and 7/100 Dollars as per bill on file.

2 March 1860 No 3458 — Charles McCool now presents a bill for service as Constable amounting to Two and 85/100 Dollars and on mature deliberation the board allowes One and 92/100 Dollars (for ~~servic~~) as per bill on, files and certified to.

Jan 1 March 1860 No 3421 — Samuel W. Ralston now presents a bill for service as special Constable amounting to Five and 80/100 Dollars and after mature deliberation the Board allows Five Dollars of said bill.

Jan 1 March 1860 No 3408 — Ex J. C. P. Sherlock presents bill for service as Constable amounting to Three and 10/100 Dollars and after mature deliberation the Board allows one and 55/100 Dollars as per bill on file and certified to

Ordered that

Jan 1 March 1860 No 3418 — Geo. Wolf is allowed the sum of Two and 12/100 Dollars for Services as J. of P. and that N. W. Delano be allowed the sum of 85 cents for service as Constable and that

No 3470 — Jacob Keller be allowed the sum of Three Dollars for

No 3491 — servic as Constable as per bill filed and certified to.

Ordered that

Jan 1 March 1860 No 3448 — Valentine Sweaver be allowed the sum of Three Dollars for boarding Criminals as per bill filed and certified to by the Sheriff.

Ordered that

Jan 1 March 1860 No 3421 — Samuel W. Ralston be allowed the sum of Ten Dollars for service as Sheriff at this term

Ordered that

Mr. J. P. Sine be allowed the sum of Twenty one and 35/100 Dollars for service as Auditor at present term as per bill filed and certified to

and that Comrs

Jan 1 March 1860 — Lucky, David Buchanan and A Downes be each allowed the sum of fifteen Dollars for services as commissioners

and the Board adjourned.

Amzi Lucky
David Buchanan
A Downes

Vacation between March & June Sessions 1860

Official Bond of D. Z. Hoffman

Know all men by these Presents.

That we Daniel Z. Hoffman George Easley, Paul Long all of the County of DeKalb and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana, in the penal sum of Three Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly, and severally, firmly by these presents. Witness our hands and seals, this 6th day April 1860.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Daniel Z. Huffman was at the Township Election for Butler Township in said County on the 3rd day of April 1860, duly elected Trustee of said Township of Butler.

Now if the said Daniel Z. Huffman shall well and faithfully discharge the duties of said office according to law: shall faithfully collect and receive all moneys belonging to said Township, & refund the same as required by law, for Township, Road, School and School House purposes and correctly account to the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county at its March Term 1861, for all receipts and expenditures of Township moneys, and shall promptly deliver up to his successor in office all books, papers and vouchers belonging to said office, and pay over to him all moneys on hand belonging to said Township, then the above obligation to be null and void, else to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Daniel Z. Huffman
George Easley
Paul Long

Accepted and approved by me this 6th day April 1860

M. H. Pierce, Auditor of DeKalb County.

State of Indiana
DeKalb County S.S. I Daniel Z. Huffman sworn that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Indiana and that I will faithfully perform the duties of Trustee of Butler Township in said County according to law, during my continuance in said office

Daniel Z. Huffman

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the 6th day of April 1860

James B. Morrison
Notary Public

Official Bond of T. C. Elson

Know all men by These Presents,

That we, T. C. Elson, Jacob Manser and Thomas Wyatt of the County of DeKalb, and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound

Vacation between March and June Sessions

Official Bond of T. C. Elson

Know all Men by these Presents

That we T. C Elson Jacob Maurer and Thomas Wall all of the County of DeKalb and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of

Auditor to Norton B Blake.

Deed from Auditor to Norton Blake.

This indenture witnesseth that whereas on the 9th day of November A. D. 1851. Peter S. Hurst & Lucia Hurst mortgaged to the State of Indiana the tract of land bounded and described as follows, to wit.

Beginning 3.25 chains from the North west corner of the South west Quarter of Section No (15) Sixteen in Township No (34) Thirty four North of Range twelve East in DeKalb County Indiana. and running thence North 85° East 7.50 chains, thence South 10° west 3 chains. thence South 28° west 3 chains to the end of the Bridge, thence South 83° East 8-04 Chains thence South 5° East 15.25 Chains thence East 1.60 chains. thence North 87½ East 3.25 chains thence South 4½° East 16.42 chains thence South 84½° west 6.82 chains. thence South 4½° west 12.88 chains. thence South 80° west 3.75 chains. thence North 75° west 5 chains thence North 18¼ west 17-15 chains thence North 6-75 Chains thence North 41° West 3.50 chains to the place of Beginning. Containing Thirty-five and 74/100 acres of land. also the tract of commencing sixty rods west from the North East corner of said quarter Section and running thence west on the center line until it strikes the above described tract. thence South 10° west 3 chains. thence South 28° west 3 Chains. thence South 83° East until the line strikes the line of land owned by Job C. Smith at the date of said loan thence North to the place of beginning containing twelve and 38/100 acres of land more or less. to secure the payment of the principal and interest on loan of Congressional School fund Number twenty two for the amount of one hundred dollars belonging to Township Number thirty three (33) North of range twelve (12) East in DeKalb County & State of Indiana. and whereas default has been made in the payment of the interest on said loan in consequence of which default the principal became due and payable. and whereas the auditor of said County of DeKalb did advertise said real estate for sale, at the door of the Court house in the Town of Auburn in said County on the 26th day of April A.D. 1860. for the payment of said mortgage, interest cost and damages. in the New Era a weekly Newspaper published in said County and of general circulation therein for four weeks successively, to wit, on the 4th. 11th. 18th & 25th. days of April 1860. and also by notice set up at said Court House door and in three public places in the Township where said land lies and whereas said Auditor Milton T Pierce did on the 26th day of April in the year of our Lord 1860. at the door of the Court house in the Town of Auburn in said County of DeKalb in the presence of Romeo B Catlin the Treasurer of said County, offer said premises for sale to satisfy said mortgage, interest and damages, and

and whereas Norton Blake then and there bid the sum of one hundred and eighty five Dollars for said premises, that being the highest and best bid made for the same and whereas said Blake has fully paid the amount of said mortgage, interest damages and cost according to law. Now therefor I Milton F. Pike Auditor of said County of DeKalb in the State of Indiana in consideration of the foregoing premises, in the name of the inhabitants of Congressional Township 33, Thirty three aforesaid and by virtue of the authority of law vested in me do hereby convey unto the said Norton Blake all my right, title and interest which the said Peter Shirey and Lydia Shirey or either of them had at the date of said mortgage in the above mentioned premises in as full and ample a manner as I am by law authorized to convey the same

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand ~~and seal this 26th day of April A.D.~~ 1850 affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners this 26th day of April 1850

Milton F. Pike Auditor
of DeKalb County Ind.

State of Indiana }
DeKalb County SS }

Personly appeared before me ~~the~~ James B. Morris a Notary Public in and for said County the above named Milton F. Pike to me Personly known and acknowledge the execution of the above Deed

April 26th 1850

James B. Morris
Notary Public

Statement of Treasurer.

Whereas default has been made in the payment of interest on loan No. twenty two (22) belonging to Town No. thirty three (33) North of Range (12) twelve east in the county of DeKalb and State of Indiana, in consequence of which default the principal has became due and payable. In consequence of said default M. F. Pike Auditor in and for said County did cause to be advertised for four successive weeks in the New Era a paper published in Auburn DeKalb County Indiana, the following described property (for description of Land see deed above) the above described land having been mortgaged to the State of Indiana by Peter Shirey and Lydia Shirey on the 9th day of November 1847 to secure the payment of said loan of Congressional School fund, Principal, Interest and damages and cost up to this date and for which the above described land is liable, amounts to one Hundred and fifty Dollars & Twenty Seven ct. This is to certify that on Thursday April the 25th 1850, Milton F. Pike Auditor in and for said DeKalb County Indiana

did at the door of the court house, and in the presence of the county Treasurer, sell the above described property to Norton Blake for One hundred and eighty five Dollars, he being the highest and best bidder

Auburn April 26, 1860 R B Catlin Sheriff of A. L.

June Session A. D. 1860

The Board of Commissioners in and for DeKalb County, met at the Court House in said County on Monday the 4th day of June A.D. 1860. in pursuance of law. Present their Hons. Amzi Seely, Alexander Provines and David Buchanan Commissioners of said County. Present also. M.F. Pierce Auditor of said County and Clerk of said Board, and S.H. Ralston Sheriff of said County.

At the same time and place met the Board of Equalization of said County. Present the members of said Board. Amzi Seely Alexander Provines, and David Buchanan. Commissioners, M.F. Pierce Auditor, and the following named Assessors of said County to wit:

Samuel Hauver, A.D. Gotschins, John C. Hellis Alva Lawrence Jacob Crise Hiram Madden, John C. St. Clair, Henry Sherlock, Henry Ernest Oris Danks, Andrew Baxter and John McCurdy

The Board of Equalization having been duly sworn by H. Ha Dills a Notary Public, to faithfully discharge their respective duties as such Board of the current year proceed to ~~[illegible]~~ examine and equalize the Assessments, and at 5 O'clock P.M. the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 8 O'clock

Amzi Seely
David Buchanan
A Provines 3 Comm'rs
M.F. Pierce Auditor

Samuel Hauver A.D. Gotschins J.C. Hellis A Lawrence
Jacob Crise H.C. Madden John C. St Clair Henry Sherlock
Henry Ernest Oris Danks Andrew Baxter John McCurdy

Tuesday Morning, June 5th A.D. 1860. The Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment. Present the same as yesterday. The unfinished business of yesterday was taken up, and after a thorough examination of the Assessment Roles of the several townships, the Board of Equalization adjourned

Amzi Seely
David Buchanan
A Provines 3 Comm'rs
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Henry Sherlock Henry Ernest Oris Danks Andrew Baxter
John McCurdy

The Board of Commissioners being now in session the several Township Assessors present to the Board their bills for assessing the Revenue in their respective Townships, which bills being duly sworn to by said Assessors the Board allow the same to wit:

(See next page)

June Session A. D. 1860

Issued June 5/60

No 3723	To Samuel Hamer for Assessing	Butler	Township for 1860		$43.50
" 3730	" A. D. Gottschins "	"	Jackson	" " "	43.00
" 3725	" John A. Chellis "	"	Concord	" " "	52.50
" 3724	" Asa Lawrence "	"	Newville	" " "	25.50
" 3722	" Jacob Crise "	"	Stafford	" " "	24.75
" 3721	" H. S. Madden "	"	Wilmington	" " "	55.50
" 3729	" John C. St Clair "	"	Union	" " "	66.00
" 3731	" Henry Sherlock "	"	Richland	" " "	55.50
" 3727	" Henry Ernst "	"	Fairfield	" " "	39.75
" 3728	" Oris Danks "	"	Smithfield	" " "	40.50
" 3726	" Andrew Barker "	"	Fairfield	" " "	40.50
No 3720	" John McCurdy "	"	Troy	" " "	26.00

A petition asking for the location of a Road in Butler Township is now presented to the Board. said petition is in words and figures as follows to wit:

May 17th 1860

"To the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County Indiana."

"We the undersigned Citizens of Butler Township, DeKalb County Indiana, pray "your Honorable Body to lay a Road in said Township, com= "mencing at the East and West Road running through the lands of "Lewis Lahman, between Sections nine (9) and ten (10) thence South "on the Section line to the centre of said ~~Section~~ Township. Running through "the lands of Lewis Lahman, O. C. Clark, Abram Hoover, John Noe & J. "Jacob Smith, George Ensley, and J. P. Wyant."

Three copies issued June 12th 1860

On due consideration the Board grant the prayer of the above petition and appoint Christian Shutt, John A. Witmer, & Henry Fagler as to view said road.

"The persons appointed at the March Session, 1860 of the Board of Commissioners to view a road in Fairfield Township, now present "their report as such viewers: said report is in words and figures "as follows to wit:"

"To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County, Indiana:

"We the undersigned being appointed by you to view a change or alteration "in a public highway in the township of Fairfield to wit:

Copy issued June 12, 1860

"Commencing at or near David Rhinehart's gate, thence east on the best "and nearest ground to cross the creek South of Cornelius Weits Mill pond "to the Bridge across said Weits Tail Race, thence east bearing south with "the slope of the Hill, to the North and South Road, thence North to "the Section line, thence east to the first angle of the Road east of the "School House."

Being first duly sworn, proceeded to view said alteration, and

"do report that said alteration is not a public utility."
Given under our hands this 15th. day of May 1860."

Lewis D. Britton
James M. Goltschins
Joshua Fragler

On due consideration the Board did accept the above Report

June 14/60
Vol 3775. B.
" 3776. H.
" 3777. J.

Ordered that Lewis D Britton, James M. Goltschins and Joshua Fragler be each allowed the sum of One and 50/100 Dollars for services as viewers on said road

A petition signed by numerous citizens of Dr Ball County was now presented to the Board asking for the location of a Road. Said petition is in words and figures as follows to wit:

"To the Hon.
"Board of Commissioners of Dr Ball Co. Va, the undersigned, would respectfully petition you to lay out and establish a road commencing on "the road leading from Mucille to Hicksville on the line between Jacob "Countrymans and Southerd Ellis, thence North on said line between land "owned by Jacob Countryman, Southerd Ellis, Solomon De Long, and "Joseph Losier. Said road to terminate at the road running by Peter "Losiers at the corner of lands owned by Peter Losier and Lewis Cole, "and your petitioners will ever pray."

Three copies issued June 12 1860

On due consideration the Board grant the prayer of said petitioners and appoint James Cologne, G. C. Pierce and Frank Ryan as viewers to view a road for said road.

James Stafford, William Phillips, Samuel Tarney, Nathan Tarney, Henry Doe, Amariah Johnson, and Johnathan Squires, having formed themselves into an association for the purpose of draining a portion of the wet lands bordering on Bear Creek in Jackson and Concord Townships, now present to the Board a petition asking for the appointment of three appraisers to assess the amount of benefit or injury to each tract of land through which the above company may construct any ditch or drain,

Copy issued June 5. 1860

On due consideration the Board appoint Johnson Lawhead, Peter High, and Elijah Dixon such appraisers

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock

Henry Seely
David Buchanan
A Provines

June Session A. D. 1850

Wednesday morning June 6th A. D. 1850. the Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present the same as yesterday.

Joshua Stues, S. P. White and George Crowley the persons appointed to view a road for a road now present their Report. Said report is in words and figures as follows to wit.

"After being qualified according to law, we the viewers did meet on the 29th of last "accordding to appointment and viewed said road as follows, Commencing at "the east end of Campbell Street in the village of Corunna. Thence South "across the Railroad track, thence east along the south side of the said "railroad on land owned by William Merry Jr. until it strikes the "East line of said Merry's land, and there to end. Said road will run "through lands owned by William Merry Jr. Abraham Mc Miller. and "The Michigan Southern and Northern Indiana Railroad Co. We. the "viewers did agree on the 29th day of March 1850 That the aforesaid "road is of public utility, and grand it. and to be thirty feet wide."

Copy viewers June 12 1850

On due consideration the Board adopt the above report and order that a Road be established in the above described route.

June 11/50 No 3778. S. No 3779. W. No 3780. D.

Ordered That Joshua Stues, S. P. White and George Crowley be each allowed the sum of One Dollar for services as said viewers

A petition signed by diver citizens of DeKalb and Noble Counties is now presented to the Board asking for the location of a Road on the County line between Noble and DeKalb Counties. which petition is in words as follows to wit.

To the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County Indiana:

The undersigned Free Holders of Noble and DeKalb Counties Indiana respectfully petition your Honors to locat a road on the County line between the counties of DeKalb and Noble, commencing at the North East Corner of Noble County, thence running South through the lands of Henry Abner John F. Koller, George Mc Regg, John Childs, Martin Layman, Thos Hammond, James Tate, William Riley, Elisha Mc Cauley, John F. Koller, George Emerick, Joseph Johnson Daniel Koller, Samuel Miser Christian Barkey, Gotlieb Feind and others whose names are to your petitioners are unknown. The whole length of the road to be six miles. Grant the prayer of your petitioners and we will be ever bound

On due consideration the Board grant the prayer of the above petitioners and appoint Willard Childs a Commissioner to act in conjunction with a Commissioner appointed from Noble County to view the above described route for a road

June Session A. D. 1860

A petition from a number of Citizens of DeKalb County were now presented to the Board asking for a change & removal of a part of the road leading from Spencerville to Cedarcreek, which in its present location leads west in an angular ~~line~~ direction through Jackson Township of said County. The part of said Road desired ~~to~~ by your humble petitioners to be changed and located is to commence in the west part of said Township where said road in its present location leads off the section line, and from that point to be changed so as to lead directly on the section line between lands owned by Brant, Wells Lochner, and Reffer, south of said section line, in Sections 32 & 33 and along lands north of said section line — owners names not presently known, but formerly owned by Marvin, and lands owned by B. S. Bailey, in sections 29 and 28. Said Road to lead east from the point of beginning directly on the section line aforesaid and between the land aforesaid until the same will intersect the road leading North and South, leading through the centre of said Township, and thence North on said centre road until it again intersects said west road at a point called Bailey's Corners. Your petitioners further ask to have the old road kept open and passable, until the new one can be made passable, and after that be vacated.

Your petitioners pray &c.

June action 12 60

On due consideration the Board grand the prayer of the Petitioners and appoint Joseph Wallen, Isaac Faint and J. W. Davis viewers to view a road for said road

June 11 60 No 3758 Ordered that John Johnson be allowed the sum of Thirty Dollars for making Book case for Clerks Office as per bill filed and certified to by Sheriff

June 11 60 No 3744 Ordered that N. H. Matthews be allowed the sum of Two hundred & Seventy Five and 00/100 Dollars for boarding Paupers and repairing farm known as the County farm as per duly authenticated bill on file

June 11. 1860 No 3757 Ordered that M. L. Rhodes be allowed the sum of Two and 75/100 Dollars for removing Brick from and Building Chimneys in Clerks Office as per bill filed and certified to by County Agent

June 11. 1860 No. 3744 Ordered that Sleifel & Wolf be allowed the sum of Forty Three and 27/100 for goods and groceries furnished for use of County Asylum as per bill filed and ~~certified~~ signed by Superintendent of County Asylum.

June 11, 60 No. 3745 Ordered that Jones Emanuel be allowed the sum of Eight Dollars for medical services rendered Paupers as per bill filed

June Session A. D. 1860

A petition now now presented to the Board, signed by divers citizens of Wabash County, asking for an appropriation to build a Bridge over a Ravine on the road leading from Mt. Carmel to Fish Creek 1½ miles from Mt. Carmel

Issued No 3790 June 14 60

One due consideration the Board order that the sum of Eighty Dollars be and is hereby appropriated to aid the construction of said Bridge to be expended under the supervision of Amzi Selby and not to be drawn for until said bridge is completed

Copy issued June 12 1860

Ordered that Forty Dollars be and is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of a Bridge across the Inlet of Indian Lake on the South East corner of Section of Section Twenty in Fairfield Township to be expended under the supervision of David Buchannan and not to be drawn for until said Bridge is completed

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Copy issued June 12 1860

Ordered That the sum of Twenty Five Dollars be and be is hereby ap= =propriated to aid in the construction of a Bridge across Twenty Six Mile Creek in Concord Township. West of Samuel Wyatts. to be expended under the supervision of Amzi Selby and not to be drawn for until said Bridge is completed

Ordered That the sum of Sixty Dollars be and is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of a Bridge across Big Run in Stafford Township on the Road leading from Norristown to Defiance. between Sections Six and Seven. to be expended under the supervision of Wm. Brown and not to be drawn for until Bridge is completed.

Copy issued June 12, 1860

And the Board adjourned to meet to-morrow morning

Amzi Selby
David Buchanan
A Rovines

Thursday Morning June 7th A. D. 1860. Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present the same as yesterday

Ordered That the sum of One Hundred Dollars be and is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of a Bridge across Fish Creek on the Highway between Sections Seven and Eighteen in Troy Township, to be expended under the supervision of Gilbert C. Everett and not to be drawn for until said Bridge is Completed

Copy issued June 12 1860 No. 4064

Ordered That J B Frank be allowed the sum of Eight 28/100 Dollars for Boots & Shoes furnished inmates of County Asylum as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendent of County Asylum

June 11/60 No. 3747

June Session A. D. 1860

June 11 1860 No 3748 — Ordered that R. H. Lockhart be allowed the sum of Nine Dollars for Services rendered in taking care of Poor as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Smithfield Township.

June 11. 1860 No 3749 — Ordered that Peter Brambling be allowed the sum of Six Dollars for Coffin furnished a pauper as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Smithfield Township.

June 11. 1860 No 3788 — Ordered that John B Palmer be allowed the Sum of Twenty Dollars for Service and Material furnished in repairing Clerk's office as per bill filed and certified to by County agent

John Coy Isaac Jones and James Moore heretofore appointed to view the following proposed route for a highway Commencing on the Section line between Section Nine and Ten in Union Township DeKalb County Indiana. at the point where the road from Auburn to Waterloo crosses said line, thence South on said Section line until it strikes Cedar Creek, thence in a Southeasterly direction until it intersects the Morning Star Road leading from Auburn thence in a South easterly direction until it intersects the Section Line between Section Twenty one and Twenty two thence South on said Section Line until it intersects the road running from Auburn to Spencerville, in Jackson Township in said County." present this report in the words and figures following.
March 30th 1860 To Honorable Board of Commissioners We as viewers have met and was duly sworn and viewed said road in said petition and found it not practicable. which report is accepted and said viewers discharged.

June 14/60 No 3774 .3781. .3782. — Ordered that John Coy Isaac Jones and James Moore each be allowed the Sum of One Dollar for services as Road viewers

Comes now in open Session Guy Plum and asks the Board of Commissioners to grant him a license to vend Spirituous Liquors and Malt Liquors in a less quantity than One Quart and there being sufficient evidence on file that notice had been given in a Public Newspaper printed in the County for four consecutive weeks that said Plum would apply at the present Session of the Board for said License, and said Plum producing to the Board evidence that he is a man of good moral character the Board

upon mature deliberation

Ordered that Guy Plum be authorized to sell and vend Spirituous vinous and Malt Liquors under the provisions of an act entitled

"An act to regulate and License the Sale of Spirituous vinous "and Malt ~~Liquors~~ and other intoxicating liquors to prohibit the "adulteration of liquors to repeal all former laws contravening "the provisions of this act and providing penalties for viol "ation thereof" Approved March 8th 1889

Comes now in open Session John Wood and asks the Board of Commissioners to grant him a license to vend Spirituous vinous and Malt Liquors in a less quantity than One Quart and then being sufficient evidence on file that notice had been given in a Public Newspaper in Said County for four consecutive weeks that said Wood would apply at the present Session of the Board for such license. And said Wood producing to the Board evidence that he is a man of good Moral character the Board upon mature deliberation

Issued June 8. 1860

Ordered that John Wood be authorized to sell and vend Spirituous vinous and Malt Liquors under the provisions of an act entitled

"An act to regulate and license the sale of Spirituous vinous "and Malt and other intoxicating liquors to prohibit the adulteration of liquors to repeal all former laws contravening "the provisions of this act and providing penalties for violation "thereof" Approved March 5th 1889

Ordered that the Sum of Seventy five Dollars be and is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of a bridge across Cedar Creek on the road running east and west in Section Fifteen in Miami Township in this County, to be expended under the supervision of Perry Blodget. and not to be drawn for until Said Bridge is completed

Copy issued June 12. 1861 Order issued May 17. 1861

No 4333

June 11/60 No. 2708

Ordered that William Thomas be allowed the sum of Four 7/100 Dollars for services as Constable in case of State of Indiana vs Conrad Adams as per bill on file

June 11/60 No. 3-62

Ordered that Dickinson & Baxter be allowed the sum of Ont 7/100 Dollars for publishing notice as per bill filed and entitled to by Ord. Examiner

June 11 60 Ordered that Geo. Kuhlman be allowed the sum of Five Dollars
No 3763 for printing 10 Quires of Road receipts as per bill filed and certified to by Count Auditor. And the residue thereof Four Dollars be continued for the consideration of this Board at its next session.

June 11 60 Ordered that Geo. Kuhlman be allowed the sum of Six Dollars
No 3764 for printing 1000 subpoenas as per bill filed and certified to by Count Clerk. And the residue of said Bill Three Dollars be continued for the consideration of this Board at its next session.

The Board of Commissioners after mature deliberation now have
elected and designate Charles M Polk a citizen of said County
June 11 1860 as a student from this County to attend the state University
under the provisions of an Act entitled "An act providing for
the government of the State University & management of its
funds and the disposition of the Lands thereof — Approved
Jan 9 June 17 1852"

June 11 60 Ordered that W Polk & Son be allowed the sum of Four
No 3765 & 37/100 Dollars as per bill on file and duly authenticated.

June 11 1860 Ordered that James Colhoun be allowed the sum of Three
No 3766 Dollars for Paper furnished Auditors Office as per bill filed
and certified by said Auditor.

June 11 60 Ordered that John Crowe be allowed the sum of One & 90/100 Dol-
No 3767 lars for services as Returning Judge April 1859 as per bill on
file and certified to by Clerk of Circuit Court.

June 11 1860 Ordered that James Colhoun be allowed the sum of Four & 75/100
No 3768 Dollars for Paper furnished Clerks office as per bill filed and
certified by the Clerk.

June 11 1860 Ordered that James Colhoun be allowed the sum of Three Dol-
No 3769 lars for Paper furnished County Recorder as per bill filed and certified
to by said Recorder.

June 11 60 Ordered that Jos E Smith be allowed the sum of Five & 45/100
No 3770 Dollars for drugs & medicines furnished County Physicians as per bill
filed and certified to by Superintendent of County Physicians.

June 11 60 Ordered that W Polk & Son be allowed the sum of One & 15/100 Dol-
No 3771 lars for goods furnished paupers as per bill filed and authenticated.

And the Board adjourned to meet tomorrow morning.
Henry Tully
David Buchanan
A Rovines

Friday Morning June 8th 1860 Board met pursuant to Adjournment. Present the same as yesterday.

The Board now proceed to appoint a suitable person to act as County Physician for the coming year commencing June 15th 1860 after mature deliberation appoint James A Chamberlain said Physician

Com. issued June 12, 1860

The Board now proceed to appoint an Inspector of Elections. And it appearing to the Satisfaction of the Board that Adam Straub the Trustee of Marion Township in this County resides within the limits of the Election precinct in the North part of said Marion Township. The Board thereupon appoint John M Evans Inspector of Elections in the election precinct in the South half of said Marion Township. And that the Elections thereof be held in Auburn.

Com. issued June 12, 1860

June 11, 60 No. 3745 — Ordered that James A Chamberlain be allowed Seven & 77/100 Dollars for services as County Physician as per bill on file and certified to.

June 11 60 No. 3750 — Ordered that Daniel Salander be allowed Thirteen Dollars for Boarding Catherine Fourshe a pauper as per bill on file and certified to by Trustee of Smithfield Township.

June 11. 60 No. 3751 — Ordered that Daniel Salander be allowed Four 73/100 Dollars for materials furnished Catherine Fourshe a count charge as per bill on file and certified to by Trustee of Smithfield Township.

June 11/60 No. 3735 — Ordered that C & H Ham be allowed Thirty Dollars for Thirty Cords of wood furnished County offices as per bill on file and certified to by County agent.

June 11/60 No. 3752 — Ordered that John Ralston be allowed County four & 29/100 Dollars the Amount of Judgment and interest against this County and in favor of said Ralston, in the Circuit Court on appeal from this Board.

June 11/60
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Ordered that Jane Smith be allowed Thirty Six & 50/100 for taking care of Wm Knapp while in Jail as per bill on file and certified to by Sheriff.

The County Auditor now presents to the Board his annual Report of the Receipts and Expenditures at the County Treasury for the year ending May 31st 1860 and the condition of the Treasury at this time.

Auditors Office DeKalb Co
Auburn Ind May 31 1860

To the Hon Board of Commissioners of said County

Gentlemen:

In pursuance of the requirements of law I herewith submit the following report of Receipts & Expenditures of DeKalb County for the year ending May 31st AD 1860 and the condition of the Treasury at this time.

There was remaining in the Treasury at the close of last financial year	1.558 61
There has been collected since that time of County Revenue	12,788 89
" " " " " " " " Road "	6.699 20
" " " " " " " " Special School tax	5.920.15
Recorded June 11. 60 " " " " " " " " Township "	1 447 65
" " " " " " " " Redemption of Land	886 90
" " " " " " " " Municipal Tax	148 81
" " " " " " " " Surveyors Fees	90 89
" " " " " " " " Ferry Licenses	5 00
Total Receipts	29.495 30
Amount of orders redeemed during the year	24.903 80
Leaves amount in Treasury	4.591 50

Expenditures

There were orders outstanding at close of last year	857 03
Orders issued during year on acct of Redemption of Land	886 90
" " " " " " " " Surveyors fees	90 89
" " " " " " " " Special School Tax	5.915 40
" " " " " " " " Twp Road "	6.691 86
" " " " " " " " Municipal "	1.437 41
" " " " " " " " Assessing Revenue	148 06
" " " " " " " " Expense of Criminals	408 78
" " " " " " " " " Bridges	502 88
" " " " " " " " " Public Buildings	1.038 83
" " " " " " " "	89 68
" " " " " " " " " Poor	1.412 08

Orders issued during year on acct of	Co Offices Salary	1.899 95
" " " " " "	Roads + Highways	74 95
" " " " " "	Specific allowance	726 49
" " " " " "	Illegal Taxes refunded	112 55
" " " " " "	Expense of elections	50 32
" " " " " "	" " Inquest	98 06
" " " " " "	Int on Co. Orders	284 64
" " " " " "	Appraising	814 30
" " " " " "	Judges Salary	460 44
" " " " " "	Printing + St	239 25
" " " " " "	Jurors Fees	789 52
" " " " " "	Expenses of Insane	315 52
" " " " " "	" " Courts	348 45
" " " " " "	Printing + St	258 00
Total Expenditures		25,900 70

County Revenue = Receipts

Amount in Treasury at close of last fiscal year	1.558 61
" Collected during present " "	12.788 59
Total Receipts	14.347 20
Deduct Amt of Orders redeemed	9.833 54
Leaves in Treasury	4.513 66

Recorded Nov 11 31

County Revenue = Expenditures

Orders outstanding at close of last year	857 03
There has been audited this year on acct of defraying Revenue	408 75
" " " " " " " " Criminals	502 88
" " " " " " " " Bridges	1.038 83
" " " " " " " " Pub Buildings	89 68
" " " " " " " " Poor	1.412 03
" " " " " " " " Roads + Highways	74 95
" " " " " " " " County Offices Salary	1.899 95
" " " " " " " " Specific allowance	726 49
" " " " " " " " Illegal Taxes Refunded	112 55
" " " " " " " " Expense of elections	50 32
" " " " " " " " " " Inquest	98 06
" " " " " " " " Int on Co orders	284 64
" " " " " " " " Appraising Revenue	814 30
" " " " " " " " Judges Salary	460 44
" " " " " " " " Stationery	239 25
" " " " " " " " Jurors Fees	789 52
" " " " " " " " Expenses of Insane	315 52
" " " " " " " " Courts	348 45

There has been audited the year's account of Printing & Stationery	355 00
Total Expenditures	10.777 05
Deduct Orders Redeemed	9.833 54
Leaves orders outstanding	945.54
Deduct orders outstanding from last in Treasury	4.513 66
Leaves a surplus of	3.568 12

Special School Tax

Amount collected year	$5.920 15
" paid to Township	$913 40
Balance in Treasury	4 75

Township Revenue

Amount collected during year	$1.447 65
" paid to Township	1437 41
Balance in Treasury	10 24

Road Revenue

Amount collected during year	6.699 20
" paid to Township	6.691 36
Balance in Treasury	7 84

Recorded June 11 '66

Custom Municipal Tax

Amount Collected during year	148 31
" Remainder "	148 66
Overdrawn	35

Surveyors Fees collected	90 89
Pd to D W Altenburg	90 89
Redemption of Land collected	836 91
Orders issued for same	836 91
Agricultural (Show Licenses)	5 00
Orders Redeemed	0 00

Respectfully Submitted.
June 8 1866 M C Lance Auditor & C.

Pd Board after examining the Records and vouchers orders that the Report be accepted and recorded

The County Treasurer now presents his annual Report to the Board of Commissioners which report is in these words and figures following—

To the honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County Indiana

I would submit the following report of Receipts and Expenditures of DeKalb County for the fiscal year ending May 31st 1860

There was in the Treasury at the close of last fiscal year	1.558	61
Received on Account of County Revenue	12.788	59
" " " " Township "	1.447	65
" " " " Road "	6.699	20
" " " " Special School "	5.920	15
" " " " Municipal "	148	31
" " " " Surveyors Fees	90	89
" " " " Redemption of Land	836	90
Recorded " " " " Agricultural	5	00
June 11 '60. Total Amt of Receipts for the year 1859	$ 29.495	30

Expenditures

County orders redeemed	9.833	54
Township revenue "	1.437	41
Road " "	6.691	86
Special School "	5.915	40
Municipal of Auburn "	148	66
County Surveyors Fees	90	89
Redemption of Land	786	54
	24.903	50
Balance in Treasury May 31st 1860	4.591	50

Township Revenue

Township Revenue collected	1.447	65
Orders Redeemed	1.437	41
Balance in Treasury May 31st 1860		10.24

Road Revenue

Road Revenue collected	6.699	20
Orders Redeemed	6.691	86
Balance in Treasury May 31st 1860		7.84

Special School

Special School Tax collected	5.920 15	
Orders Redeemed	5.915 40	
Balance in Treas May 31st 1860		4.75

Municipal Tax

Municipal Tax collected	148.31	
Orders Redeemed	148.66	
Overdrawn		.35

Surveyors Fees

Surveyors Fees collected	90.89	
Orders Redeemed	90.89	
Balance in Treasury		.00

Redemption of Land

Total Amt collected	836.90	
" " Orders Redeemed	786 54	
Balance in Treasury May 31 1860		50.36

Recorded June 11. 60

Agricultural

Total Amt collected	5.00	
Orders Redeemed	0.00	
Balance Treasury May 31st 1860		5.00

Hence the Amt due the several Funds is as follows

Common County Fund	4.513.31
Township "	10.24
Road "	7.84
Special School "	4.75
Redemption of land "	50.36
Agricultural "	5.00
Total Amt in Treas as above	$4.591 50

There are also outstanding County orders as Follows –
No. 918. 1022. 1098. 1687. 2061. 2589. 2689. 2786.
2751. 2769. 2783. 2789. 3087. 3148. 3175. 3183. 3208
3314. 3424. 3425 3472 3501 3525. 382.
The orders No.d as above Amount to $ 195.68

The above report is respectfully submitted

June 8 1860

By R. B. Catlin Treas of Outagamie Co

Which report with the records and vouchers after due Examination of the Board is accepted and ordered to be recorded—

And the Board adjourned to meet tomorrow morning— Henry Luby
David Buchanan
A Rowins—

Saturday morning June 9th 1860 the Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present the same as yesterday.

Ordered that Wesley Pauk Samuel M Ralston and Ephraim Berry be and hereby is appointed a Committee to procure and devise plans and specifications for a new Court House in this County and that they report with said plans and specifications the probable cost of each plan should they desire to present more than one plan—

Recorded June 11. 60

And that said Committee report their doings at the next session of this Board.

Ordered that the sum of Six Hundred and Ninety three & 13/100 Dollars be an additional allowance and appropriation to aid in the construction to aid in the construction of a Bridge across the St Joseph River at Spencerville. to be expended under the Supervision of George Barney— and not to be drawn for until said Bridge is completed—

Copy issued June 12, 1860 No. 3794

Ordered that M F Pierce be allowed Two Hundred and Twenty four & 50/100 Dollars for making three copies of Delinquent list returned by treasurer for 1859 as per bill on file and certified to by him—

June 11/60 No 3738

Ordered that Samuel M Ralston be allowed the sum of Thirty three & 50/100 Dollars for extra services rendered as Sheriff and other services as per bill on file and duly authenticated

June 11. 1860 No. 3753

Ordered that Daniel M Allenburg be allowed Two & 67/100 Dollars for services as County Surveyor as per bill on file and certified to.

June 11 60 No. 3770

Ordered that Daniel M Allenburg be allowed Two & 84/100 Dollars for services as County Surveyor as per bill on file & authenticated

June 11 60 No 3770

June 11/60 No 3772 Ordered that M F Pierce be allowed Fifty nine & 34/100 Dollars for services in part as Auditor as per bill on file and duly Authenticated—

The Board now proceed to levy a tax for the purpose of defraying the Expenses of the County for the Ensuing Fiscal year, and after mature deliberation Order that the sum of Forty five Cents be charged on each and every one hundred Dollars of taxable property within the County—

And that the Auditor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to charge to each taxpayer person or corporation chargeable with taxes at the above rate on the tax Duplicate for the year 1860

June 11/60 No 3773 Ordered that M F Pierce be allowed Sixty Seven & 70/100 Dollars for services in part as Auditor as per bill on file and duly Authenticated—

Ordered that the sum of Eighty Dollars be appropriated to aid in the repair and construction of Bridge across Cedar Creek near Fenalon's Mill in Smithfield Township, under the supervision of Denis Buchanan— and not to be drawn for until said Bridge is Completed—

Ord. Treasurer June 12. 1860

June 11. 60 No 3774 Ordered that Shutt & Braden be allowed Nineteen dis & 03/100 Dollars for Stationery as per bill on file and certified to by Treasurer Auditor and Recorder—

June 11/60 No 3776 Ordered that John Ralston be allowed the sum of Twenty five Dollars as the bill filed and certified to by him, And that the residue thereof to wit Thirty three & 86/100 Dollars be continued until the next Session of this for consideration

Ordered that it be placed of record that the County has received of Nathan McMathews the Tenant of the Poor farm the full
Recorded June 12 60 amount of rent of said farm for last year

Ordered that Samuel W Ralston be allowed the sum of Three
June 11 1860 Dollars for Services and Mileage in Summoning Petit Jurys
No 3765 for Common Pleas Court and Circuit April 1860 and Grand Jury for April Term of Circuit Court, as per bill on file and certified to by him-

June 11 1860 Ordered that Samuel W Ralston be allowed Forty two & 40/100 Dollars
No 3754 in pd as for Services in Boarding Releasing and washing for Jacob Knapp and Elizabeth Knapp as per bill on file and certified to by him.

June 11, 1860 Ordered that Samuel W Ralston be allowed Six & 75/100 Dollars
No 3754 in pd for Boarding releasing and washing for James Borden as per bill on file and certified to by him.

June 11, 1860 Ordered that Samuel W Ralston be allowed Eighteen & 40/100
No 3754 Dollars for committing releasing Boarding and washing for C
Adams as per bill on file and certified to by him.

The Auditor and Treasurer now present their report in regard to loans and payments for school purposes and to all moneys received on account of the Common School Fund which report is in these words

Auditors office DeKalb Co Ind
Auburn June 8 1860

The undersigned auditor of said County would submit the following report relative to the Common and Congressional School Funds for the year ending May 31st AD 1860

Receipts - Interest -

Recorded June 11 60 There has been received during the fiscal year ending May 31st AD 1860 of Interest on Congressional School Fund 146.50
Received of Common School Fund 592.00
Total Amount of School funds received & dividend $ 7.331.73
Amount paid to Townships 7330.73

The Common School Funds have been paid to the several Townships as follows

To Butler Township 365.14

To	Jackson Township	400.69
"	Concord "	697.51
"	Newville "	373.44
"	Stafford "	275.44
"	Wilmington "	716.79
"	Union "	430.60
"	Richland "	471.03
"	Fairfield "	485.33
"	Smithfield "	458.15
"	Franklin "	617.25
"	Troy "	215.08
"	Town of Auburn	359.19
	Total	$5,725.06

The Interest on Congressional School Fund has been distributed to the several Townships as follows -

To	Butler Township	188.68
"	Jackson "	82.32
"	Concord "	128.53
"	Newville "	66.98
"	Stafford "	49.93
"	Wilmington "	60.77
"	Union "	147.36
"	Richland "	324.26
"	Fairfield "	108.05
"	Smithfield "	145.89
"	Franklin "	96.44
"	Troy "	106.46
	Total Amt distributed	$1,405.67

Recorder June 11. 60

Total amount of Common School fund received from State Treasurer at April dividend 1860	6,143.50
Total Amount of Cong. Fund received	1,412.86
Total Receipts	$7,555.86
Deduct Auditors and Treasurers fees for Managing the Common School fund	218.44
	7,337.42
Deduct Amount refunded to J R Huffman	6.69
Balance	$7,330.73

There has been collected since March dividend of

Interest on Several Funds	124.21
Amount in Treasury June 1st 1860	124.21
	0-0 0.00

Recorded June 11, 1860

Principal account - Receipts

Com'n & Cong. funds collected during year	1,222.64
Sinking Fund collected " "	9,155.02
Total Receipts	10,377.66
Amount Paid out during year	10,091.54
Leaves Balance in Treasury	$ 286.12

Then belongs to the above of Sinking Fund	205.31
" " " " " " " "	80.81
Total	$ 286.12

Respectfully Submitted
M. P. Pierce And D.C.
R. B. Cattin
Treas. D. Kall.

The Board now proceed in the presence of the Auditor and Treasurer to examine the accounts and proceedings of said Officers in relation to the School Funds, and the safety of the loans made. And make the following Report

"The Board of Commissioners - the Auditor, and Treasurer of DeKalb County in the State of Indiana Submit the following Report in regard to the Common School and Congressional township funds as follows -

Recorded June 11, 1860

Amount of funded of Com. & Cong. funds		$ 1,222.64
Sinking Funds		9,155.02
Amt. Loaned	10,091.54	
Balance in Treasury		$ 286.12

Interest received	1405.67
Amt. paid over	1405.67

Amount received since March dividend on interest on deposit Funds $ 124.21

That the loans above mentioned, are in our opinion in a safe condition

" Amzi Dull
" David Buchanan
" A. Timmons

June 11. 1860
No. 3740. 3741
3742. 3743

Ordered that R B Collier be allowed the sum of Four Hundred Ninety four & 00/100 Dollars for Laundries and Services as per bill on file and certified to—

June 11 1860
No. 3767

Ordered that D D Davis be allowed One & 75/100 Dollars for hardware furnished as per bill on file and certified to by Sheriff—

June 11. 1860
No. 3746

Ordered that James Calgrove be allowed Four & 50/100 Dollars for Milk furnished as per bill filed and Authenticated

June 14/60
No 3783

Ordered that M F Peirce be allowed Twenty two & 50/100 Dollars for Services as Auditor at this session of the Board

June 11, 60
No 3756

Ordered that Saml M Calston be allowed twelve Dollars for Service as Sheriff at this session of the Board—

June 11. 1860
3733. 3734
3735

Ordered that Amzi Lusby Daniel Buchanan and Alexander Borines each be allowed the sum of Eighteen Dollars as commissioners for this term—

And the Board adjourned

Amzi Lusby
David Buchanan
A Borines

September Session A. D. 1860

The Board of Commissioners in and for DeKalb County, met at the Court House in said County, in pursuance of Law ~~and at~~ on Monday Morning the 3rd. day of ~~October~~ September A D. 1860. Present their Hons. Amzi Seely, Alexander Rowles, and David Buchanan Commissioners of said County, present also, M. F. Pierce Auditor of said County and Clerk of said Board, ~~pro tem~~ and S. W. Balston Sheriff of said County

Ordered that Fifty Dollars be, and is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of a Bridge across Twenty Six Mile Creek in Wilmington Township where the road running north from the Auburn and Steubenville Road cross said stream in district No Twelve in said Township, to be expended under the supervision of Amzi Seely and not to be drawn for until said Bridge is completed. (Order issued Sept 8th 1860)

Ordered that Isaac Fiandt and J. G. Davis be each allowed the sum of One Dollar for viewing a road for a road in Jackson Township. Ordered that Joseph Walters be allowed the sum of One & 50/100 Dollars for viewing same and making report to Board, as per bills filed. (Issued No 3865, " 3866, " 3867)

And the Board adjourned to meet to morrow morning

Amzi Seely
David Buchanan
A Rowles

Tuesday Morning September 4th A D. 1860 Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

Ordered that John Buchanan and Willard Childs be each allowed the sum of One Dollar and that Daniel McNabb be allowed the sum of Two Dollars for viewing road for road as per bills filed (Issued No 3869, " 3870, " 3871)

Joseph Walters, Isaac Fiandt and J. G. Davis the persons appointed at the June 1860 Session of this Board to view a road for a road in Jackson Township now submit the following report of their action as such viewers, which report is on the back of the "transcript" furnished said viewers, and now on file in the Auditors office.

State of Indiana }
DeKalb County } S. S.

June 27th 1860

"We the undersigned viewers do make the following report. After viewing the road set forth in the foregoing transcript find it a practicable road for a road, and of public utility, we therefore grant said road. Said road to be thirty feet wide, on a corresponding width with the old road & the new road, and the old road to be left open and passable two years or until the other is made passable

Joseph Walters, Isaac Fiandt
J. G. Davis, Viewers,

September Session A. D. 1860

A petition signed by numerous citizens of Stafford Township asking for the appointment of viewers to view a road for a road in said Township is presented to the Board. Said petition is in words and figures as follows:

Stafford. August 9th 1860

3 Copies issued 14th 1860 3 pr cts

"To the Board of Commissioners of Wallis County. We, your petitioners "request that your Honorable Board will appoint viewers to locate that "portion of the river road commencing at the forks of the road on the Higby "farm, running across the river bottom, known as Pryor's bottom, now owned "by S. H. Bartell and E. Scoville, to the east end of the lane between "Albert Pryor and E. Scoville and establish the same on the road running "from Melville to Brannamaker's Corners, running along said road to the west end of the lane above mentioned, then along said lane east until "it intersects that portion of the River Road not affected by the change."

On due consideration the Board appoint John P. Widney, Andrew Smith and Samuel Widney to view the above described road

Issued No 3874

Ordered that George Barney be allowed the sum of Twenty One Dollars for superintending the building of a Bridge across the St. Joseph River at Spencerville and for said advanced for draft as per bill filed

Copy issued Sept 18th 1860 No. 3891

Ordered that the sum of Forty Dollars be and is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of a Bridge across Coburns Run in Concord Township where the road leading from Alexander McCauly to George Helmuth crosses said Run, to be expended under the supervision of Amyi Seely and not to be drawn for until said Bridge is completed

Issued No 3875

Ordered that Lott Herrick be allowed the sum of Three 50/100 Dollars for cash advanced for clothing for pauper in Concord Township as per bill filed

Issued No 3868

Ordered that George D. Hartsuck be allowed the sum of Eight Dollars for superintending repairs on Bridge at Orangeville as per bill filed.

Issued No 3891

Ordered That N. H. Matthews be allowed the sum of Three Hundred and Fifty Four Dollars and Sixty Two cents for boarding Paupers making Clothing for same, and clearing land on Poor Farm, as per bill filed and certified to

Issued No 3876

Ordered That Williams Monroe be allowed the sum of Four Dollars for keeping a pauper ten weeks in Concord Township as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of said Township

September Session A. D. 1860

Henry Fragler and Christian Sheets two of the viewers appointed at the June Session of this Board to view a road in Butler Township now submit their report of their doings as such viewers. Said report is in words and figures as follows to wit:

August 25th 1860

"To the Board of Commissioners:

"We the undersigned respectfully report that in accordance with our appointment we have viewed a road in Butler Township running through the lands of Lewis Lemon C. C. Clark, Abram Houser, John Stall (dec'd) Jacob Smith, George Insley, and John P. Wiant, commencing at the east and west road running between sections Nine (9) and Ten (10) thence south on the section line to the centre of said Township, and that said road is cut out and that the width of said road is about forty feet, and we would further report that one half of the bridging to make said road passable is already done. After due consideration, we have established said road." Henry Fragler
Christian Sheets

On due consideration the Board adopt the above report and order that a road be established on the said described road.

Issued No 3877 / 3878 — Ordered that Henry Fragler and Christian Sheets be each allowed the sum of One Dollar for viewing said road as per bills filed.

Issued No 3879 — Ordered that Daniel Salander be allowed the sum of Thirteen Dollars for boarding Catharine Fourshe a poor person as per bill filed and certified to by Trustee of Smithfield Township

Issued 3872 — Ordered that J. & R. Ellinger be allowed the sum of Eight Dollars for making coffin for Levi Campbell (dec'd) as per bills filed and certified to by Trustee of Union Township

1 Copy issued Sept 8/60 — Ordered that Samuel Vandeveer, George Houk and J. J. Boots be and they are hereby appointed to assess the damages or benefit to any lands through which the "Jackson Township Ditching company" may construct ditches or drains

3 Copies issued Sept 8/60 & 2 receipts — A petition from numerous citizens of Fairfield Township is now presented to the Board. Said petition is in words and figures as follows:

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County, Indiana. The undersigned freeholders of said County, and residents in the immediate neighborhood of the proposed vacation and change hereinafter mentioned humbly petition your honorable body to so change the road running west from the South west corner of Henry Crosse's land to Indian Lake in Fairfield Township in said County, commencing at the angle at or near Lewis Rhinard's gate, thence east on the nearest and best ground across the Creek, north of Cornelius Evert's Mill Dam.

to the Bridge across said Mills Tail Race, thence in a South East=erly direction on the most suitable ground to the North and South road. And further, to vacate so much of said road as may (be) rendered useless by the proposed change above. Said vacation and change to effect and pass through the lands of said Daniel Reinohl and Cornelius West. And your petitioners will ever pray

One due consideration the Board appoint Joseph Watter, John G. Davis and John George viewers to view the road of the above va=cation and change.

The Board adjourned to meet on Thursday morning at eight O'clock.

Attest Secty
David Buchanan
A Provines

Thursday Morning September 8th A.D. 1860. The Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment; present the same as ~~yesterday~~ Tuesday

A petition from numerous citizens of Jackson Township is now presented to the Board. Said petition is in these words and figures as follows

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Wabash County Indiana

3 Copies & Maps filed 10/00

We the undersigned Citizens of said County ask your honors for the location of a road on a Section line running East and West, said road to commence at the Section corner west of Sections 27 & 34 in Jackson Township of said County and to load east directly on said line (between lands owned by B. S. Bailey Wm & Hunah & Wm Tindall on the North and Jacob Cramer & Wm Tindall on the South of said line) to the west side of said Section, the same intersects a cart way formerly granted to and located by Cyrus Hawkeye and John Boots and thence to load on said Cart way one and a half Mile to the road known as the Bear Creek Road leading North & South and thence across said road and East on said line between lands owned by George Hook and Samuel Hoover when the same will intersect the road at the line of Section 19, leading to Spencerville directly on said line being a distance of three Miles, that your petitioners ask of your honors for said road to be located And your petitioners pray &c

And the board being satisfied that due notice had been given of the presentation of said petition more than twenty days before the present session of this board. And due consideration had on said petition now here appoint A D Goodrich Thos

Christopher Cool and Benjamin Lashead viewers to view the route of the above location.

Ordered that Ephraim Berry be allowed the sum of Sixteen dollars for services a committee to prepare plans
No 3820 and probable cost of New Court House, and framing Plan as per bill on file—

Ordered that Wm. M. Mercer & Bro be allowed the sum of
Issued Seventy dollars for medicines furnished County Asylum as
No 3880 per bill on file and certified to by Superintendant

Ordered that Four Hundred dollars be and is hereby appro-
Cy issued priated to aid in the construction of a bridge across the St
4/5/8/60 Joseph River on the Section line near Masters Mills in Sturgis
No 2988 Township to be expended under the supervision of Henry
issued Dec Reed, and not to be drawn for until the said Bridge is
5/8 1860 completed—

Ordered that One Hundred and Fifty dollars be and
Cy issued is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of a bridge
4/5/8/60 across Cedar Creek on the Aldenates and St Mayne
Dec 5 issued road between Union Village and Mottville, to be expen-
ded for 1860 ded under the supervision of Alexander Provine, and
No. 4066 not to be drawn for until completed—
No 4465 2400

A petition from Divers citizens of Butler Township was now presented to the Board said petition is in words and figures as follows to wit:
We the undersigned freeholders of Butler Township believing that the road lying between Sections Twenty seven (27) and Thirty four (34) owned by S. Teutchins
O Copies on either side and Twenty Six (26) on the North belonging to J R Moody and
& Traffic thirty five belonging to Jacob Miller in Davis Township as being
-mond unnecessary useless and being virtually abandoned by the public
4/4/10/60 We the undersigned petitioners pray that so much of said Road as lies on the west side of big Cedar and the County road leading to Stoners. And that on the East side lying between the Creek and the County road leading to Stoners mill be vacated and annulled, And the Board being satisfied that due notice of the presentation of said petition had been given more than twenty days before the present session of this Board now upon due consideration appoint James McClellan Wm Gribb and N H Mathews viewers to view the above vacation—

Ordered that Augt Luck be allowed Two Dollars for services
No 3805 as Superintendent in the Construction of Bridges since last
session of this board —

Ordered that David Buchanan be allowed Three
No 3806 Dollars and fifty cents for services rendered in Superin-
No 3810 - tending the Construction of Bridges and for surveying on
County Poor Farm —

Issued Ordered that B. F. Cottin be allowed the sum of
No 3873 Thirty Six and 00/100 Dollars as per bill on file and
certified to by him —

Issued Ordered that James N Chamberlain be allowed the sum of
No 3881 Three & 50/100 Dollars for services as Physician for County asylum
as per bill on file and certified to by him —

Issued Ordered that Stifel & Wolf be allowed the sum of Seventeen
No 3882 & 50/100 Dollars for Goods furnished County asylum as per bill
on file and certified to by Superintendent of County asylum —

Issued Ordered that L B Wood be allowed the sum of Six & 70/100
3883 Dollars for Boots and Shoes furnished County asylum as
per bill on file and certified to by Superintendent of County
asylum —

Ordered that J D Davis be allowed the sum of Two & 05/100
Issued Dollars ~~be allowed~~ for hardware furnished as per bill on
No 3884 file and certified to by County Agent —

Ordered that J D Davis be allowed Two & 50/100 Dollars for
Issued Chloride of Lime &c furnished County asylum as per bill on file
No 3885 and certified to by Superintendent County Asylum —

Joseph H Ford now presents a bill for services rendered
~~in~~ duly authenticated, which bill and authentication is in
the words and figures
" Dr Hall County to J. H. Ford Dr —
To medical services rendered to Mrs C Adams in
County Jail in the month of April $15, 00 — J H Ford
I hereby certify that J H Ford rendered medical attendance
as above stated H M Ralston Phy. &c."
The board upon due consideration order that J H Ford be

No 3819 allowed ~~Two~~ Fifteen Dollars for said services —

No 3808 Ordered that M.T. Hicks be allowed Fifteen Dollars for services prosecuting Criminals and claim vs Knapps Estate as per bill on file —

Ordered that the County Auditor give notice by publication in ~~the~~ newspapers printed in this County for four weeks previous to next sitting of this Board, that sealed proposals will be received by said board up to two O'clock P.M. of Wednesday of the december Session next of this board, for the erecting of the County Poor House and the boarding and care of the poor as per Specification here to for used in letting said House and paupers —

Comes now Ephraim Berry S.M. Ralston and Wesley Pratt the Committee appointed by this Board at its June Session last to devise and procure plans and Specification and probable cost of a New Court House for said County, and report their doings in this behalf, also a plans and probable cost of a new Court House, which plan and probable cost is in these words (here insert) and the Board upon due consideration now here adopt said plan, and discharge said Committee from further duties herein —

Recorded Feb 6. 1860

And the Board adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 8 O'clock A.M.

Amzi Seely
David Buchanan
D Rovinet

Friday morning September 7. 1860 the Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday —

No 3814 Ordered that Samuel M Ralston be allowed Eleven Dollars for Summoning Jury and Saw dust in Court House as per bill on file and certified to —

No 3815 Ordered that Samuel M Ralston be allowed Five & 50/100 Dollars for services Summoning Road Viewers as per bill on file duly authenticated —

No 3816 Ordered that Samuel M. Ralston be allowed Six & 75/100 Dollars for services as Jailer as per bill duly authenticated in file —

Issued No 3886 Ordered that C L Hill be allowed Forty Dollars for Tax Duplicates furnished County Auditor as per bill on file and certified to by County Auditor –

Issued No 3887 Ordered that Sheets & Braden be allowed Forty three & 37/100 Dollars for Stationery furnished County Auditor, Clerk and Treasurer as per bill on file and certified to by said Officers –

On this day Jacob Helvig presented a claim duly authenticated, which claim and authentication is in these words following
" DeKalb County Indiana To Jacob Helvig dr
" 1859. To Receiving and paying out as Treasurer of said County
" Six thousand four hundred and thirty six & 4/100 Dollars, Tax Levy
" Fund @ 2½ per cent $160.90
" Sept 7/60 Jacob Helvig late Treasurer of said County,
" State of Indiana
" DeKalb County ss } I Milton F Pierce Auditor of said County do certify that Jacob Helvig while Treasurer of said County received and paid out the above amount of Tax Levy Fund in the year
" 1859, as appears from the records in my office
" Sept 7/60 M. F. Pierce Aud of said County"
And the Board upon due deliberation now here refuse to allow said claim –

No 3809 Ordered that M F Pierce be allowed One Hundred and Eighty three Dollars for making tax duplicate in part for year 1860 as per bill on file and duly authenticated –

No 3812 Ordered that M. F. Pierce be allowed One Hundred and thirty four Dollars for services as Auditor in making duplicate of Road tax to the several Townships as per bill on file and duly authenticated –

No 3811 Ordered that M F Pierce be allowed Ninety three & 33/100 Dollars for services as County Auditor as per bill on file and duly authenticated –

On this day Andrew Cochran filed his claim in these words
" DeKalb Co To Andrew Cochran dr –
" June 16 1858 To One days attendance on Comm Court in answer
" to Summons of the Auditor of DeKalb Co $1,00
" Mileage, 1.00. I hereby certify the above to be correct according to
" the best of my knowledge and belief A Cochran – Subscribed and
" sworn to before me this 29 day of June 1858, L. E. Benedict Notary Public

And the Board after due consideration now here refuse to allow said claim—

Ordered that Dickinson & Baxter be allowed the sum of Eight Dollars for printing Exhibit of June Settlement in Natural Gas as per bill on file— Issued No 3888

Ordered that C. C. Loveland be allowed the sum of Eight Dollars for publishing Exhibit of June Settlement in the New Era as per bill on file— Issued No 3818

Comes now Samuel N Spratt and presents a claim against Daviess County which claim is in these words and figures following.

Dr Knox County, Indiana

To Samuel N Spratt Dr

To the services mentioned below, rendered as Clerk of the Knox Circuit and Common Pleas Court from November 12th 1883 to December 2nd 1889.

To Receiving and paying out judgments and fees in Circuit Court $7.981.66 @ 2½ per cent		197.54
" Receiving and paying out claims fees distributees &c to and from Guardians & Administrators $8.881.16 @ 2½ per ct		222.09
" Receiving and paying out judgments and fees in C.P. Court $14.392.47 @ 2½ per ct		359.81
" Making Bar dockets & Pros dockets in Com Pleas Court 1074 cases @ 15 cts		161.00
" Indexing Books in my office 4 years @ $25.00		100.00
" Making Bar dockets and Pros dockets in Circuit court 760 cases @ 15 cts		114.00
" Reporting fees fines &c to Treasurer and City of Same to Auditor $6.00 per year		24.00
" Recording 50 meeting & 50 Adjmts of C.C. @ 10 cts		10.00
" " 87 " 87 " " C Pas Ord "		17.40
" " 87 " 87 " " Probate Ord "		17.40
" " & swearing 11 attys @ 25 cts		2.75
" " & Cert to And 9 allowances in C.C. $2.00		16.00
" " " " 16 " " C.P.C 2.00		32.00
" Entering panneel & swearing 9 Grand Jury & Offs .50		5.04
Amt Carried over		1280.13

	Cost brot forward	1280.13
To	Drawing Issuing & filing 9 Grand Jury venire 1.60	14.40
"	" " " 9 Petit " " C.C. 1.60	14.40
"	" " " 16 " " " C.P. 1.60	25.60
"	Swearing bills 2 per term of C.P. Court .10	1.60
"	Recording & filing 8 Selection of Grand Jury 1.00	8.00
"	" " " 18 Criminal bonds in vacation .20	3.60
"	" " " 7 " " " " C.P. .20	1.40
"	" Cert & Receiving laws 3 times	2.25
"	Filing 5-00 Marriage Cert @ 5 cts	25.00
"	Recording Indictments 15,000 words .10	15.00
"	Issuing Subs for Grand Jury average 6 p term 5 cts	30.24
"	Entering order appointing 3 Master Court 1.00	3.00
"	Filing resignation of 12 Officers	.72
"	Entering forfeiture of 12 recognizances 25 cts	3.00
"	" to Recognizances & order Court 25 cts	2.50
"	Issuing writs for 4 April Election 56 cts	2.24
"	" " " 4 October " 1.00	4.00
"	Filing April Election Papers 5 cts	.20
"	" October " " "	.20
"	4 days with board of Canvassers 2.00	8.00
"	Making 4 Cert " " 1.50	6.00
"	3 Cert & Statement of Oct Election 1856	3.00
"	1 " " " April " "	.38
"	1 " " " " " 1857	.75
"	1 " " " Oct " "	.75
"	1 " " " April " 1858	.75
"	3 " " " Oct " 1858	3.00
"	1 " " " April " 1859	.75
"	1 " " " Oct " "	.75
"	Commissioning 76 Constable .60	45.60
"	" 5 Co Court .60	3.00
"	76 Certified copies of oath of Constable .60	45.60
"	Filing 76 " " " " 5	3.80
"	17 " " " Co Officers .60	10.20
"	Filing 17 " " " " 5	.85
"	32 " " " Justices 60	19.20
"	Filing 32 " " " " 5	1.60
"	Fees in writs of Habeas Corpus	2.68
"	Recording 9 Reports of Grand Jury of Jail 25	2.25
"	Fifty days attendance Circuit Court @ 2.00	100.00
"	Eighty-two " " Com Pleas " @ 2.00	174.00
		1884.76

September 7th 1860 Attest Saml W Smith

And the said Claimant was here present proof of said Claim And the said Board after mature deliberation reject said Claim and refuse to allow any amount thereof — upon which Samuel N Sprott gave notice of his intention to appeal from said order to the Dekalb Circuit Court.

Issued No 3887 Ordered that Lob. C. Smith be allowed Ten dollars for Medicine furnished County as per bill as filed and certified to by Superintendent

No 3817 Ordered that S. N. Ralston Sheriff of this County be allowed Eight Dollars for services rendered at this term of this Board

No 3802 No 3803 No 3804 Ordered that Amzi Seely David Buchanan and Alexander Provines each be allowed Twelve Dollars for their services as Commissioners for this term

No 3813 Ordered that M J Pierce be allowed Sixteen & 4/100 Dollars for his services as Auditor during the present sitting of this Board

And the Board adjourned to session in course

Amzi Seely
David Buchanan
A Provines

Vacation between September & December 1850

Deed
Auditor DeK Co
To
James N. Jeffords
assignee of
Jacob Hammond

Whereas James N Jeffords assignee of Jacob Hammond has paid the full sum of Two Hundred and twenty seven Dollars and twenty cents in full for the west half of the North West quarter of Section Sixteen Township thirty five North of Range fourteen East in Said County of DeKalb and State of Indiana containing eighty acres be the same more or less.

Now Know ye that for and in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the Statutes ~~made~~ in such cases made and provided I Milton F Peirce Auditor in and for said DeKalb County and State of Indiana for and in the name of the inhabitants of Congressional Township No thirty five North of Range fourteen East do give and grant unto the said James N Jeffords the said West half of the North West quarter, to his heirs and assigns forever.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name as Auditor of said County, and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County this 8th day of September AD 1850

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Milton F Peirce Auditor of
DeKalb County

State of Indiana
DeKalb County ss } Personally appeared before me the undersigned a Notary Public Milton F Peirce Auditor of said County, and acknowledged the execution of the above deed.

September 8th 1850

L S

Wm H Dils Notary Public

Vacation between September & December Sessions 1854

Assignment of Certificate of Purchase of West half of the South West quarter of Section No Sixteen, Town Twenty Five North of Range No Fourteen East in Hall County, Indiana, sold by Miles Waterman Auditor and James L George School Commissioner of said County, to Jacob Hamman on the First day of February 1847.

Recorded Feb 10, 1850 W. Pinnell

Franklin, Hall County Ind. Dec. 30th 1854

I Jacob Hamman do hereby assign, and claim and set over, all my right, title, claim and interest of the within instrument of writing to James H. Gafford for a valuable consideration. Witness my hand and seal

Jacob Hamman (Seal)

State of Indiana
Hall County S.S.

Before me George Beard a Justice of the Peace in and for said County, this day came the above named Jacob Hamman, and acknowledges the execution of the above assignment.

In witness of which I have hereunto set my hand and seal, December 30th. 1854

George Beard Justice (Seal)

October Session (Special) 1860

October 26th A. D. 1860

The Board of Commissioners in and for DeKalb County met at the Auditors Office in said County for the purpose of approving the Bonds of the County Officers elected at the October Election of 1860. Present their Hons. Alexander Bovines and Henry Fusselman Commissioners. and M. H. Pierce Auditor of said County.

Albert J. Hunt the person elected to the Office of Auditor at the election before mentioned. now presents his official bond which on due consideration the Board approve. Henry Willis the person elected to the office of Coroner now presents his official Bond. which on due consideration the Board approve. and James N. Chamberlain the person elected to the office of Sheriff now presents his official Bond which is also approved.

N. 3986
4 0981

Ordered That Alexander Bovines and Henry Fusselman be each allowed the sum of Three Dollars for services as Commissioners at present session

And the Board adjourned

A Bovines
Henry Fusselman

November 1st A. D. 1860

The Board of Commissioners in and for DeKalb County met at the Auditors office for the purpose of approving the Bond of Manius Buchannan the person elected to the office of County Surveyor at the October Election of 1860. Present Their Hons. Alexander Bovines and David Buchannan Commissioners, and M. H. Pierce Auditor. The Bond of said Manius Buchannan being now presented the same is duly approved by said Board

A Bovines
David Buchanan

December Session 1860 14th day Dec 18

The Board of Commissioners for Sc Kalb Co met on pursuant to law. Present Alexander Downes and Buchanan and Henry Brasselman Commissioners Also A J. Hunt Auditor and Clerk of Board, and James N. Chamberlain Sheriff of said County.

Now comes William Grable and James Mc Clellen and N. H. Matthews viewers appointed at the September 1860. and report as follows.

" The undersigned viewers appointed at the September Term of Board of Commissioners of Sc Kalb County to vacate a road described in the accompanying Certificate would submit the following Report

That so much of the Highway now existing between Sections 26. 27. 34 & 35. in Butler Township in said County as lies between the two County roads leading to the mills known as Stones from the north be vacated in accordance with the request of the Petitioners. Signed by William Grable James Mc Clellen & N. H. Matthews. "

Highways 4020 4021 4022

Ordered that William Grable James Mc Clellen & N. H. Matthews viewers each the sum of one Dollar for services as viewers of road in Butler township.

Ordered that Daniel Valander receive the the sum of twenty four Dollars for boarding and funeral Expenses of Catharine Gounds a County pauper as per bill filed by Trustee of Smithfield Township.

" Report of Joseph Walters John P. Davis and John George viewers of a road in Hanfield township having viewed said road for change of road in Hanfield Tp. described in the Petition as Commencing at or near David Reinohls gate thence East on the nearest and best ground across the creek north of Cornelius Wests mill down to the bridge across said Wests tail race thence in a south easterly direction on the most suitable ground to the North and South road. And further to vacate so much of said road as may be rendered useless by the proposed change. To effect and pass through the land of David Reindl and Cornelius West

We the undersigned viewers Report in favor of said change and vacation, Also that the new road be of the same width as the old and further that the old road shall be kept open until the above-mentioned West and Reinohl make the new road as good as the old. Sep the 28th 1860.

Joseph Walters
J. P. Davis viewers
John George

December Session 1860 first days Dec 3rd

No. 4026 Ordered that John S. Davis and John Lange receive each the
4027 sum of one Dollar And Joseph Walter one Dollar and 75/100 for
4028 services as viewers on a road in Fairfield township 4.75

Report of Viewers of road in Stafford township.

"To the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb Co.

The undersigned, a majority of the viewers named in the annexed order having been duly qualified as appears by the papers herewith returned did on the 28th inst in said order to wit on the 28th of Sept 1860 together with Andrew Smith the remaining viewer proceed to examine the road therein described as also the the proposed change, after due consideration would respectfully report to your honors that in our opinion the change prayed for would not be of public utility. Andrew Smith the viewer above mentioned dissenting. Respectfully submitted

J. R. Widney
Sam'l Widney"

Dec 3. 1860.

Ordered that John R. Widney receive two and 50/100 Dollars for
No. 4029 viewing qualifying and making report of road in Stafford township 2.50

No. 4006 Ordered that Alvin Pomphrey be allowed eight and 70/100 Dollars
for care and clothing for Eliza Barnet a County pauper as per 8.70
bill filed. Fairfield township per Trustee

Ordered that Lott Herrick be allowed one Dollar for care
No. 4007 of Mary Gooding a County pauper. as per bill filed. by Lott Herrick Cancelled 1.00

Ordered that R. P. Hicks be allowed the sum of four & 60/100
No. 4036 Dollars for repairs on Court House and Jail as per bill filed. by Co. Agent

A. D. Doetschins presents the report of a view of road in Jackson township in words and figures as follows.

The undersigned being appointed By the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County to view a road in Jackson township described Commencing at the section corner west of Sections 27 and 34 in Jackson Tp of said County and to lead East directly on said line a distance of three miles to the Concord township line — Met on the 28th day of September 1860 and being duly sworn did then and there proceed to view said road. And after due consideration did agree to grant said Petition.

Width 30 feet.

A. D. Doetschins
Christopher Cool
Benjamin Lawhead

No. 4030 Ordered that Christopher Cool and Benjamin Lawhead each
4031 receive be allowed the sum of one Dollar and A. D. Doetschins the
4032 sum of one and 50/100 Dollars for viewing a road in Jackson 3.50
township

December Session 1st day

Board adjourned to meet at 9 o'clock to morrow morning

E. Bowsers
David Buchanan
Henry Inselman

December Session 2nd day

Tuesday morning Dec 4th 1860. Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday.

It being made apparent to the Board that the Commissioners of Noble County have failed to appoint a Commissioner to view a road on the County line between the townships of Fairfield in DeKalb and Wayne in Noble County. Which petition was granted by the DeKalb C. Board at the June Session of 1860. The Board now appoints Willard Childs to act in conjunction with the ~~seat for a road~~ Commissioner from Noble County to view the seat for a road as described on page 212 of doings of June Session of Board 1860. With instructions to the Auditor to inform the Auditor of Noble County of our proceedings.

Dec 12 1861 Spread Certificate

Ordered that Tiefel and Wolf be allowed the sum of thirty four Dollars and eighty five cents for for goods furnished County Asylum as as per bill filed and certified to by Superintendant

Asst No 4018

Ordered that J. C. Loveland be allowed the sum of three Dollars for six pieces blanks as filed and certified to by Clerk of DeKalb Circuit Court

Stationary No 4016

Ordered that the following named persons be allowed the sum of one Dollar and milage for making returns of October Elections as per bill filed by County Clerk

No. 4037	Albert N. Blood	1 day	24 miles travel		$1.96
" 4038	Lott Herrick	1 "	24 "	"	1.96
" 4039	William Brown	1 "	26 "	"	2.04
" 4040	Gilbert C. Everett	1 "	36 "	"	2.44
" 4041	P. B. Simmons	1 "	20 "	"	1.80
" 4042	T. C. Elson	1 "	14 "	"	1.56
" 4043	Daniel Sonser	1 "	24 "	"	1.96
" 4044	O. J. Hoffman	1 "	14 "	"	1.56
" 4045	Washington Peters	1 "	6 "	"	1.24
" 4046	Cyrus Bowman	1 "	16 "	"	1.64
" 4047	Elias Brown	1 "	26 "	"	2.04
" 4048	Daniel Altenburg	1 "	6 "	"	1.24
" 4049	Adam Stroh	1 "	10 "	"	1.40

Ordered that the following persons be each allowed the sum of One Dollar and milage for making the returns of November Election 1860 as per bill by County Clerk

No 4050	Washington Peters	1 day	12 miles travel		$1.48
" 4051	William Brown	1 "	26 "	"	2.04

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No 4052	J. A. Coppock	1 day	24 Miles travel		$1.36
" 4053	Lott Merrick	1 "	24 "	"	1.36
" 4054	C. L. Hare	1 "	"		1.00
" 4055	Cyrus Bowman	1	16 "	"	1.64
" 4056	Gilbert C. Evans	1 "	35 "	"	2.44
" 4057	Elias Brown	1 "	26 "	"	2.04
" 4058	Daniel Souder	1 "	24 "	"	1.96
" 4059	S. C. Olson	1 "	14 "	"	1.56
" 4060	L. J. Hoffman	1 "	14 "	"	1.56
" 4061	A. B. Simmons	1 "	20 "	"	1.80
" 4062	Adam Stroh	1 "	10 "	"	1.40

Ordered that S. B. Ward be allowed 4.50/100 Dollars for boots and shoes furnished for use of County Paupers as per bill certified by N. H. Matthews Superintendant. No 4009 4.50

Ordered that W. M. Mercer & Bro be allowed the sum of 1.80/100 Dollars Medicines &c furnished County Asylum as per bill filed by Superintendant. No 4010 1.80

Ordered that N. H. Matthews be allowed the sum of three hundred and thirty Dollars and ninety eight Cents for furnishing board & clothing &c. for use of County Poor as per bill filed by N. H. Matthews Superintendant less ninety Dollars that being rent for part 3/4 of present year. No 4011 330.98

James Smith comes in open session and asks the Board to grant him a License to sell spirituous, vinous and malt liquors and there being sufficient evidence on file that notice had been given in a Public Newspaper printed in the County for four consecutive weeks, that said Smith would apply at the present session of the Board for such License. And the said Smith producing to the Board sufficient Evidence of good moral Character The Board after due deliberation

Ordered that James Smith be authorized to sell spirituous vinous and malt liquors under the provisions of an Act entitled "An Act to regulate and license the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and other intoxicating liquors, to prohibit the adulteration of liquors, to repeal all former laws contravening the provisions of this Act and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof. Approved March 5th 1859." License issued Dec 5, 1860

Ordered that L. H. Ralston be allowed the sum of ten Dollars for cash advanced to County Asylum as per Bill filed by L. H. Ralston, County Agent No 4012 10.00

Ordered that W. H. Dills be allowed ten Dollars Attorneys fee for prosecuting suit before Justice Sains and appeal in Circuit Court in favor of Secly & others Commissioners vs. Wm. Jackson & others No 4013 10.00

December Session 2nd day

as per bill certified by R. B. Catlin.

Ordered that John Ralston be allowed 1.80/100 for oil furnished for use of Clerks Office as per Bill certified by Jno Ralston.

Warrant drawn in No. 4002 Ordered that S. C. Dickinson be allowed 29.50/100 Dollars for public printing and one Dollar for Copy of Press for use of Auditors Office as per Bill certified R. B. Catlin and on file. Total 30.50/100 Dollars

Ordered that J. C. Loveland be allowed the sum of 65.10/100 Dollars for printing Delinquent List for 1860 and other printing Also one Dollar for printing Notice of letting of Pon Farm.

Warrant drawn in No. 4003 Also one Dollar for copy of New Era for use of Auditors Office. as per bill on file and certified by M. M. Pierce. Total 67.10/100 Dollars

John Butt comes in open session and asks the Board to grant him License to sell Spirituous vinous and malt liquors And there being sufficient evidence on file that notice had been given in a public Newspaper printed for four consecutive weeks in the County that said Butt would apply to the present session of the Board for such License, And the said Butt having produced before the Board sufficient Evidence that he is a man of good moral Character The Board after mature deliberation

Ordered that John Butt be authorized to vend Spirituous vinous and malt liquors under the provisions of an act entitled an "Act to regulate and license the sale of Spirituous vinous malt and other intoxicating liquors, to prohibit the adulteration of liquors to repeal all laws contravening the provisions of this Act and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof. Approved March 5th 1859."

License issued Dec 14th 1860

Ordered that R. B. Catlin be allowed 207.01/100 as per bill filed by R. B. Catlin Dated December 8th 1860.

No 9978

Adjourned till to morrow morning at 8 o'clock. A. J. Hunt Clerk.

A Downes
David Buchanan
Henry Trupelman

December Session 1860 3rd day

Wednesday morning December 5th A. D. 1860 Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present the same as yesterday

Stationary No. 9017 Ordered that W. Brisworth be allowed the sum of 1.67/100 Dollars for Stationary furnished Clerks Office as per bill

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filed and certified by John Ralston, County Clerk.

No. 4062 Ordered that S. W. Sidney be allowed the sum of four Dollars and 62½ cents for furniture &c for Recorders Office as per bill certified by S. W. Widney Recorder and on file.

Son No. 4013 Ordered that J. D. Davis be allowed the sum of one Dollar for materials furnished for repairs of Poor Asylum as certified by Superintendant as per Bill on file.

Bridge No. 4081 Ordered that John A. Ditmar be allowed 62 7/100 Dollars for materials and labor repairing Bridge as per Bill on file.

No. 3985 Ordered that Anzi Scely have order for 400.00 Dollars appropriation for bridge across Sugar Creek

Ordered that Sheets & Braden be allowed the sum of twenty nine Dollars for Stationary furnished County Offices as per Bill on file and Certified to by R. B. Catlin John Ralston and S. W. Widney.

Anzi Scely having resigned the post of Agent for bridge across twenty six mile creek And the Board appoint Alexander Provines to superintend the construction of said Bridge

No. 4018 Ordered that James Colegrove be allowed the sum of three 330 Dollars and thirty Cents for Stationary furnished Public Offices as certified to by M. G. Pierce & Jno. Ralston as per bills on file.

No. 4033 Ordered that J. W. Cummys be allowed the sum of two twenty Dollars Prosecutors fee in Case of State of Indiana vs Josiah Simers et alf as per bill on file

The Board proceed to examine proposals for letting Poor House farm and after considering the same on due deliberation accept the proposition of Joseph Maxwell.

Ordered that Joseph Maxwell be and is hereby appointed Superintendant of Poor Asylum of DeKalb County for the term of One year from the first day of March A. D. 1861

He (Joseph Maxwell) pays 2.50/100 Dollars per acre for all the improved land, and boards and takes care of the paupers for 1.75/100 Dollars per week as per Specifications on file in Auditors Office

Adjourned to meet to morrow morning at 8 o'clock

A Provines
David Buchanan
Henry Fifefeldt

December Session 1866 4th day. Thursday.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present the same as yesterday.

No 4014 Ordered that James N. Chamberlain be allowed 3.75/100 Dollars. Svce as as Physician for County Asylum as certified to by James N. Chamberlain and on file

No 4039 Ordered that Jas. N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of 8.98/100 Dollars for furniture, board for prisoners and repairs &c. for jail. and fuel for Court House. as certified by James N. Chamberlain. Sheriff. per Bill on file.

No 3992 Ordered that M. G. Pierce be allowed the sum of 114.67/100 Dollars for services as County Auditor as certified by M. G. Pierce Auditor per bill on fille.

John Ralston Clerk of Circuit Court presents report of condition of County Jail in words of follows

"We the Grand jurors find the jail in good order with "the exception of the north east room up stairs. We think "that it should be made safe for female prisoners "We think that it is not in a good condition for female "prisoners. And that it is not really safe in the present "Condition."

Ordered, that the Sheriff be authorized to make the necessary repairs, and additions in accordance with the presentments of the Grand Jury as set forth above.

No 3994 Ordered that M. G. Pierce be allowed the sum of four Dollars for furniture furnished Auditors Office as certified by A. J. Hunt County Auditor per bill on fine.

No 3993 Ordered that M. G. Pierce be allowed two hundred and thirteen Dollars 96 cents for services as County Auditor as per bill on file and certified by M. G. Pierce. and

No 4035 Ordered that ~~L. D.~~ W. Dalby Ralston be allowed fifty one cents for Pitcher & Tumblers for use of Court House as certified by L. D. Ralston per bill on file.

John Ralston offers the Board a proposition for extra services as Clerk of Circuit Court which is in words and figures as follows.

I will agree to take for extra services (not including the fee for money received and paid out $37.50 per quarter and I shall not be required to present an itemized account to entitle me to such allowance.

December Session 4th day 1860

Amt to be allowed me for year ending Dec. 4th 60 150.00
" allowed me by Com. 25.00 June S. 60
" received through appeal 22.00
47.00

deduct cash expenditures for oil
included in $25 allowance by Com. 1.40 45.60
amt. to be allowed by Com. at this term $104.40

We the Board of Commissioners of De Kalb Co Accept the within proposition of John Ralston. Which shall remain in force so long a majority of the present Commissioners remain on the Board and the present Law remains unaltered

December 6th 1860.

A. Purines
David Buchanan
Henry Gusselman

No 3997 Ordered that John Ralston be allowed 104.40/100 Dollars as above and entered by Bill on file

Ordered that the foregoing proposition of John Ralston and acceptance thereof by Board be placed on record and filed in Auditors Office.

No 4015 Ordered that J. S. Kryder be allowed six Dollars Physicians fee for medical attendance of Eliza Burnet pauper ascertified to by Daniel Gonser Trustee of Fairfield township per bill on file

The Board appoint J. N. Chamberlain County Agent and he is hereby empowered to perform the duties usual for such Agent from this date.

Ordered that S. W. Ralston be allowed so much of his bill as allowed ~~in Book~~ presented to the Board in words and figures as follows

De Kalb Co.

Dr Samuel W. Ralston Dr

Expense of Courts

to	cash paid for saw dust for Court room		1.00
"	Summoning Jury for Com Pleas Court		10.00
"	" " " Circuit "		20.00
		allowed	31.00

Expense of Criminals

	Committing to Jail Mann & Jacobson		1.00
N.	Releasing from		.80
	Boarding same 16 days		6.40
	Committing Brown & Rupert		1.00
	Boarding same 16 days each		12.80
	Coal and lights for jail		2.10
	Washing for prisoners		2.00
		Allowed	26.10

Samuel W. Ralstons Bill continued

Expense of Co. Officers

To	Services as Co. Agent for	1857	17.50
"	" " " "	1858	17.50
"	" " " "	1859	12.50
"	" " " "	1860	12.50
		Allowed	60.00

Expense of Roads

To	serving notices on road viewers to wit	
	Jos. Walton J. S. Davis & Jno Lange	1.60
	Jas. McClellan Wm Enabe & N. H. Mathews	1.40
	A. D. Crotschins C. Cool & B. Lashead	1.40
	4 notices on bridge Superintendants	5.60
	Allowed	10.00

Expense of Elections

To	Writing out 53 notices of General Election 1860 & posting up 3 same in each precinct and one to each Inspector with milage 85 cts	allowed	15.00
To	Distributing poll books tally papers &c	1857	14.40
"	" " " " "	1858	14.40
"	" " " " "	1859	14.40
"	$10 Allowed " " " 13 precincts	1860	15.60
"	$10 do. " " " Presidential	"	15.60
"	Making returns Election of Senator at Albion	Allowed	7.50
		S. W. Ralston	146.90

Dec 5th 1860

And the said Ralston hereby gives notice of appeal from decision of Board of Com- so far as relates to Expenses of Elections in above Bill

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed $1.87/100 Dollars as Clerk of Board of Com- Dec Session 1860

No 3996

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of 8.00 Dollars services as Sheriff at present meeting of Board

No 3995

Ordered that the A. Provines David Buchanan and Henry Musselman be allowed each the sum of $12/00 Dollars for services as Commissioners at December Session 1860

No 3989
3990
3991

Ordered that S. W. Ralston be allowed the sums following for services as follows and under the following heads

No 4005 Expense of Courts thirty one Dollars

No 4029 Expense of Criminals twenty six Dollars ten cents

No 3999 Expense of Co- Officers sixty Dollars

No 4025 Expense of Roads ten Dollars

Expense of Elections forty two Dollars an fifty cents

And Board adjourned.

A Frownes
David Buchanan
Henry Ruffelman

Assignment in part of School Certificate No. 1 of Smithfield

For value received I assign and transfer to Samuel Hill for all my right and title to the South half of the North half of the North West quarter of Section sixteen T. 35. R. 13 as described in the within Certificate

Wm Hoffman

State of Indiana
De Kalb County S.S. Personally appeared before me A. J. Hunt Auditor in and for said County Wm Hoffman and acknowledged the signing of the foregoing assignment.

Albert J. Hunt Auditor
D. K. Co

Deed ✓

Auditor of D. K. C.
To
Samuel Hill Jr.

Whereas Samuel Hill Jr assignee of George Sacrid assignee of Jonas Knum has paid the full sum of ninety seven Dollars and fifty cents for the East part of the South half of the North West quarter of Section number Sixteen (16) Township number thirty five (35) North of Range thirteen (13) East in the County of De Kalb State of Indiana containing fifty acres more or less

Now Know Be that for and in consideration of the premises and in Conformity with the Statute in such cases made and provided I Albert J. Hunt Auditor in and for said County of De Kalb and State of Indiana for and in the name of the inhabitants of Congressional Township No. thirty five North of Range No. thirteen East do give and grant to the said Samuel Hill Jr the said East part of the South half of the North West quarter of Section Sixteen and his heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name as Auditor of said County and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County this thirteenth day of February A. D. 1861

Albert J. Hunt Auditor De Kalb County

State of Indiana
De Kalb County ss. Personally appeared before me a Justice of the Peace in and for said County Albert J. Hunt Auditor of said County who acknowledged the foregoing Deed to be his voluntary act for the purposes therein specified

Witness my hand and seal this thirteenth day of February 1861

J. D. Davis Justice (Seal)

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Albert J. C
To
Eliza Morgan

Witness Eliza Morgan has paid the sum of Two hundred Dollars for the East half of North East Quarter of Section No (16) Sixteen Township Thirty five North of Range Fourteen East in said County of Howard and State of Indiana, containing Eighty acres, be the same more or less

Now Know Ye that for and in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the statute in such case made and provided, I Albert J Hunt Auditor in and for said County of Howard and State of Indiana for and in the name of the Inhabitants of Congressional Township No thirty five North of Range fourteen East do give and grant unto the said Eliza Morgan the East half of the North East quarter to Her heir, and assigns forever.

Seal

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name as Auditor of said County and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County this 29 day of December A.D. 1860.

Albert J Hunt Auditor of H. County

State of Indiana } ss
Howard County }

Before me S.W. Widney Recorder of said County personally appeared Albert J Hunt Auditor of said County and acknowledged the ~~foregoing~~ execution of the annexed deed.

Seal

Witness my hand and official seal this December 29th 1860

S.W. Widney Recorder

Assignment of School Certificate No. 11 Smithfield for the South half of Section No. 16 Recorded Feb 11. 1861

Albert J. Hunt Auditor H.C.

For value recieved of Samuel Dill I assign over and transfer to the said Samuel Dill my right title and interest to the within certificate and the Land therein described

George Sawbell

State of Indiana } ss.
Howard County }

Personally appeared before me the George Sawbel the assignor of the above assignment and acknowledged that he Executed the same for the use and purpose therein mentioned.

Witness my hand this first day of April 1856

J. A. Rulan J. P.

Feb 11. 1861 Assignment of School Certificate No 11. Smithfield Tp in part

For value recieved I assign over to Henry Verney all my right and title to the West part of the South West quarter half of Section No 16. Smithfield township containing thirty acres more or less

Samuel Vill

State of Indiana
De Kalb County } ss. Personally appeared before me County Auditor Samuel Vill who acknowledged the foregoing assignment

A. J. Hunt Auditor
De Kalb Co.

Feb. 11. 1861.

Deed
Auditor of De Kalb Co.
To
Henry Verney

Whereas Henry Verney assignee of Samuel Vill, assignee of George Savril, assignee of Jonas Knum has paid the full sum of Ninety seven Dollars and fifty cents in full for the West part of the South half of the North West quarter of Section number sixteen (16) in Township number thirty five (35) North of Range number thirteen (13) East containing thirty (30) acres more or less.

Now Know Ye that in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the Statute in such cases made and provided I Albert J. Hunt Auditor of the County of De Kalb in the State of Indiana for and in the name of the inhabitants of Congressional Township No. thirty five North of Range No. thirteen East. do give and grant the said West part of the South half of the North West quarter of Section Sixteen as above described to the said Henry Verney and his heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony Whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name as Auditor of said County and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County this Eleventh day of February A.D. 1861

Albert J. Hunt Auditor D.K.Co.

State of Indiana
De Kalb County } Personally appeared before me Recorder in and for said County Albert J. Hunt Auditor of said County and acknowledged the above deed to be his voluntary act for the purposes therein specified.

Seal

Witness my hand and Official seal

This Feb. 12th 1861.

S. W. Widney Recorder

Feb 18. 1861 Assignment of School Certificate No 86 Wilmington Tp in part

For value recieved I assign and transfer to W. H. Madden all my right and title to the South half of the East half of the North West quarter of the Section No 16 as described in the attached certificate No 86 of Wilmington

Benjamin Eatknight

State of Indiana
De Kalb County } ss. Personally appeared before me Auditor in and for said county Benjamin Eatknight the signer of the foregoing and acknowledged the execution of the same for the uses and purposes therein expressed. Witness my hand and seal this Eighteenth day of February A. D. 1861

A. J. Hunt Auditor D. K. Co

Assignment of School Indy. cate #15 Concord

For value received I deliver over and transfer to Franklin Herrick all my right and title to the west half of the North East quarter of Section Sixteen (16) Township Thirty three (33) North of Range Fourteen East in De Kalb County containing Eighty Acres more or less given under my hand this 21 day of Feb 1861

Daniel Herrick

State of Indiana } February 21st 1861 Personally appeared before me
De Kalb County ss } Daniel Herrick the Signer of the foregoing Assignment and acknowledged that he executed the same for the use and purpose therein Expressed. Witness my hand and Seal this day and year above written

Seal

A D Hunt Auditor of
De Kalb County

Deed
Auditor of De Kalb Co-
To
William H. Madden

Whereas William H. Madden Assignee of Benjamin Cartright Assignee of Samuel Cartright has paid the full sum of twenty six Dollars and seventy five cents, said sum being a full one fourth of the money still due on the North West quarter of Section Sixteen in Township number thirty four North of Range fourteen East, and said payment being for the South half of the East half of the said North West quarter, containing forty acres more or less.

Now Know Ye that in consideration of the premises and in Conformity with the Statute in such case made and provided. I Albert J. Hunt Auditor in and for said County of De Kalb in the State of Indiana for and in the name of the Inhabitants of Congressional Township number thirty four (34) North of Range fourteen East, do give and grant to the said William H. Madden the said South half of the East half of the aforesaid North West quarter and to his heirs and assigns forever. In Witness Whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name as Auditor and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County this second day of May A.D 1861.

Albert J. Hunt Auditor De Kalb County

State of Indiana De Kalb County S.S.

Before me J.W. Widney Recorder in and for said County this May 2nd 1861 Albert J. Hunt Auditor of De Kalb Co acknowledged the Execution of the annexed deed for the uses and purposes therein Expressed.

Witness my hand and Official Seal.

J. W. Widney Recorder

March Session A. D. 1861 first day

Monday morning March 4th Board of Co Commissioners met pursuant to Law. Present Alexander Downes. David Buchanan and Henry Fufselman Commissioners. A. J Hurst Auditor and Clerk of Board and Jas N. Chamberlain Sheriff

The Trustee of Franklin township now presents his report of the receipts and Expenditures of said township for the year ending March 1st A.D. 1861 which report being Satisfactory is adopted

D. Z. Hoffman Trustee of Butler township now presents his report of the receipts and Expenditures of said township for the year ending March 1st A.D. 1861 which report being satisfactory is adopted

Lott Herrick Trustee of Concord township now presents his report of receipts and Expenditures of said township for the year ending March first A.D. 1861 which report being satisfactory is received

A. N. Blood Trustee of Neaville township now presents his report of the receipts and Expenditures of said township for the year ending March first A.D. 1861 which being satisfactory is received.

Cyrus Bowman Trustee of Smithfield township now presents his account of the receipts and expenditures of said township for the year ending March first A.D. 1861 which being satisfactory is accepted

Ordered that D. Z. Hoffman be allowed the sum of thirty three Dollars twenty five (33.25) cents for services as Trustee out of the township fund of said Township

Ordered that Lott Herrick be allowed the sum of fifty four Dollars and twenty five cents (54.25) for services as Township Trustee out of the township funds of said township of Concord

Ordered that Lott Herrick be allowed the sum of eight Dollars and twenty (8.25) for services taking care of paupers as per bill filed 4151

Ordered that A. N. Blood be allowed the sum of forty three Dollars & seventy five cents (43.75) for services as Truste Neaville township out of the funds of said township.

Ordered that Cyrus Bowman Trustee of Smithfield be allowed the sum of fifty three Dollars (53) out of the funds of said township for services as Trustee of said township

Ordered that Elias Brown Trustee of Franklin be allowed the sum of fifty five dollars forty cents (55.40) for services as Trustee to be paid out of the funds of said township

Ordered that D. Z. Hoffman be allowed the sum of one dollar for making Ballot Box for Butler township as per bill filed 4158 and certified to, by D. Z. Hoffman.

Ordered that C. R. Reyn be allowed the sum of one Dollar and fifty cents for repairing clock for Recorders Office as per bill filed 4159 and certified by L. W. Widney

March Session Continued first day

Ordered that William Seely be allowed the sum of Eight Dollars for making coffin for Widow Pauley a County Charge as per bill filed certified by Lott Hancock Trustee of Concord township

No 4160

Ordered that Anzi Seely be allowed the sum of nine Dollars for Superintending the building of three bridges as per bills filed and certified by Anzi Seely

No 4161

Ordered that C. L. Hill be allowed the sum of forty eight Dollars for Blank Books and Stationary furnished the Auditors office as per bill filed and and certified by Co Auditor

No 4162

The Board now proceed to select in the manner prescribed by Law a Grand Jury for the Circuit Court April Term A.D. 1861. The Clerk of the DeKalb Circuit Court in the presence of the Board drew the names of the following twelve persons being one from each civil Township

Orrin C. Clark	of Butler	George Wolf	of Union
John George	" Jackson	Nelson Griffith	" Richland
Jacob Dilts	" Concord	David Kager	" Fairfield
L. D. Ranier	" Newville	E. A. Shoemaker	" Smithfield
Frederick Hoffman	" Stafford	Edward H. Taylor	" Franklin
John Reece	" Wilmington	John G. Knapp	" Troy

And in manner and form as above described Twelve persons were selected for the October Term 1861 of the Circuit Court to serve as a Grand Jury for said October Term namely

John Hogue	of Butler	L. K. Richel	of Union
Joseph Walters	" Jackson	Joseph Depew	" Richland
A. W. Coburn	" Concord	L. F. White	" Fairfield
John Platter	" Newville	Abram McCoy	" Smithfield
Henry Rork	" Stafford	George Firestone	" Franklin
George Epnew	" Wilmington	Wm B Emmerson	" Troy

William Brown Trustee of Stafford township now presents his report of the receipts and expenditures of said township for the year ending March first A.D. 1861 which report being satisfactory was accepted by the Board.

Gilbert C. Everett Trustee of Troy township now presents his report of the receipts and expenditures of said township for the year ending March first A.D. 1861 which report being satisfactory was accepted by the Board.

Ordered that Wm Brown be all the sum of twenty seven Dollars and forty four cents (27.44) out of the township funds of Stafford township for services as Trustee of said Stafford township for the year ending March first 1861

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Ordered that Gilbert C. Everetts be allowed the sum thirty four Dollars and fifty cents ($34.50) out of the township fund of Troy township for services as Trustee of said township for the year ending March first A. D. 1861.

Ordered that James W. Case James Colgrove and Timothy B. Dickinson be and are hereby appointed Common School Examiners for De Kalb County for the year ending March first A. D. 1862

On motion the Board adjourned till to morrow morning at nine o'clock

J. Provines
David Buchanan
Henry Funkelman

March Sesion A. D. 1860 Second day

Thursday morning March 6th Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

Washington Teeters Trustee of Richland now presents his report of the receipts and expenditures of said township for the year ending March first A. D. 1861 which report being satisfactory was accepted by the Board

Ordered that Washington Teeters Trustee of Richland be allowed the sum of fifty four Dollars forty four cents ($54.44) out of the funds of said township for services as Trustee for the year ending March first 1861

Ordered that Gilbert C. Everetts be allowed the sum of three Dollars and seventy five cents (3.75) for superintending building of Bridge in Troy township as per bill filed and certified by G. C. Everetts. No 4152

A petition for a view for a Road in Troy and Franklin townships signed by many Citizens of said townships was now presented to the Board which is in words and figure as follows "To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of De Kalb County and State of Indiana.

We the undersigned citizens of De Kalb County would respectfully represent to your Honorable Body that our interest and of community to a large extent would be enhanced by locating and establishing of a highway running as follows to wit Commencing on the township line between Franklin and Troy townships on the bluff bank of Fish Creek on the south side of the Creek between section twelve of Franklin township and Section seven of Troy township

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thence running northwesterly along the bluff bank through lands owned by Edward C. Clark and John G. Gregg until it strikes the mill dam of Abraham Kepler thence Northeasterly on said mill dam across Fish Creek and through said Keplers mill yard till it strikes a lane or road running from the Defiance Road to Saw mill thence north along said lane to the Defiance Road and we respectfully ask your Honorable Body to appoint Viewers in accordance to the provisions of Law in order to the locating and establishing of the Highway above asked for.

And the Board being satisfied that due notice of the presentation of said Petition had been given at least twenty day previous to this Session of the Board on due consideration appoint John Helwig J. W. Rose and Alonzo Finny to view said route for a road

Entered and Money

Ordered that the sum of One hundred and twenty five Dollars ($125.00) be and is hereby appropriated for the construction of a Bridge across Fish Creek in Troy township and David Buchanan is appointed Commissioner to superintend the letting and construction of said Bridge

(5177) 87.87

Ordered that Jonathan Hull (Waterloo) be allowed two Dollars and fifty cents for cash advanced Expense of Criminals

Adam Stroh Trustee of Union township now presents his report of the receipts and Expenditures of said township for the year ending March 1st 1861 A. D. which report being satisfactory was accepted by the Board.

Ordered that Adam Stroh Trustee of Union township be allowed the sum of fifty six Dollars and twenty five cents ($56.25) out of the funds of said township for services as Trustee for the year ending March first A. D. 1861.

Daniel Gousen Trustee of Fairfield township now presents his annual report of the receipts and Expenditures of said township for the year Ending March 1st 1861. which report being satisfactory was accepted by the Board.

Ordered that Daniel Gousen Trustee of Fairfield be allowed the sum forty four Dollars and ten cents ($44.10) out of the funds of said township for services as Trustee for the year ending March 1st 1861.

Ordered that Joseph Ettinger be allowed the sum of two Dollars and fifty cents ($2.50) for making Ballot Box for Union township as per bill filed and certified by Adam Stroh Trustee

No 4163

A petition is now presented to the Board signed by many citizens of Fairfield township praying for a view for a road in

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in said Fairfield township which is in words and figures as follows. "December 15th 1860

We the undersigned petitioners pray the Board of County Commissioners to a road through the centre of Section two and Eleven in Fairfield Township DeKalb County Indiana to commence at the quarter post of Section two on the North and running South to the quarter post of Section Eleven on the South containing two miles in length more or less Connecting with a road at each end

On the Board being satisfied that due notice had been given that the foregoing Petition would be presented to the Board at the present Term they appointed David Rager Jacob Gonser and David Reichel viewers on said route for a road

certificate issued March 7th 1861

Ordered that T. C. Dickinson be allowed three Dollars and twenty five cents for printing done for the County Office No. 4164

Ordered that T. C. Dickinson be allowed ninety Dollars and forty cents ($90.40) for Stationary furnished County Officers as per bill filed and certified by Co. Treasurer and Auditor. No. 4165

Ordered that Daniel Gonser be allowed one Dollar for services taking care of Paupers as per bill filed and certified by Daniel Gonser Trustee of Fairfield township. No. 4166

A Petition is now presented to the Board Signed by many citizens of Fairfield Township praying for a view for a road in said Fairfields township which is the words and figures following to wit

December 21st 1860

We the undersigned Petitioners pray to the Board of County Commissioners for a Road to commence at the center of Section two in Fairfield Township DeKalb County Ind. Running East on the quarter line to intersect a Road running North and South from the County Line to Lawrence adjoining lands of Wm Petty Wm Wiley Wm Fisher J. W. McConnel

certificate issued March 7th 1861

The Board being satisfied that due notice had been given that the foregoing Petition would be presented to the Board at the present Term they appointed J. M. Broombeck, John Pelt, John Buchanan viewers of said route for a road

A Petition is now presented to the Board Signed by many citizens of Butler Township praying for a view for a road in said Butler Township which is in the words and figures following. to wit.

Butler March 11 1861

To the Honorable the Board of County Commissioners of DeKalb County Ind.

We your petitioners would respectfully represent your Honorable Bod the necessity of the location of the foll-

&c.

ing Road or Public Highway. Commencing at Butler Center on the Old track running South of the Center of Butler Township on or near the center Section line to the State road near the Bridge on the farm of Robert Work running through the lands of Paul Long, David Long Isaac Hunt, Neal Nugent, Jesse Conley, Joseph Cupp & Robert Work. We your Petitioners believe the said Road to be of Public utility and highly necessary to the Surrounding Community the above Road was view'd and granted and petty fined and according to law is now dead to the same we therefore pray your Honorable Body to have the said Road viewed for the purpose of Establishing the same, and we will ever pray

Certificate issued March 7th 1861

The Board being Satisfied that due notice had been given that the foregoing Petition would be presented to the Board at the present Term, they appointed, C. Fleetz, William Peebler Jr. & Elmer viewers of said route for a road.

No. 4167

Ordered that Robert Work be allowed the Sum of five Dollars for superintending the building of a Bridge across Little Cedar in District No 8 in Butler township

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The A petition is now presented to the Board Signed by many citizens of Stafford Township praying for view for a road in said Stafford Township which is in the words and figures following viz.

To the board of Commissioners of DeKalb County.

We the undersigned citizens of Stafford Township DeKalb County and State of Indiana do humbly pray your Honorable body to appoint viewers to view and locate a road, (for want of which we labor under great inconveniences) to commence at the East corner of Section 18 and 19 on the Road known as the township line road between township No 33 and 34 North of Range 15 East; said road to continue on the Section line between Section line between Sections (18) and (19) town 34 North of range 15 East one mile to intersect a road known as the Newville and fish creek road, And we will ever pray.

Certificate issued March 7th 1861

The Board being Satisfied that due notice had been given that the foregoing Petition would be presented to the board at the present Term they appointed H. Hennegmaker, Silas Bartlet, Albert Pyon, viewers of said route for a road.

No 4168

Ordered that J. Davis be allowed Four and 17/100 Dollars for Cmm to Treasurers office as per bill filed & certified to Co. Agent

No 4169

Ordered that J. Davis be allowed Two & 50/100 Dollars as per bill filed and allowed by certified to Co. Agent

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No 170 Ordered that John Ralston be allowed six Dollars and ninety cents Oil sawing wood and repairs on Clerks Office as per bill filed and certified by John Ralston Co. Clerk.

No 171 Ordered that John Ralston be allowed Sixty seven Dollars and fifty cents as Extra Compensation for the quarter ending March first 1861 as per Contract

No 172 Ordered that James N. Chamberlain be allowed fifty three Dollars and fifty five cents ($53.55) for wood furnished County Offices as per bill filed and certified by County Agent.

No 173 Ordered that Charles Schnell be allowed three Dollars and thirty cents for sawing wood for Treasurer Office as per bill filed and certified by County Agent.

No 174 Ordered that Frederic Schnell be allowed ten Dollars and sixty Eight cents ($10.68) for sawing wood for Treasurer and Auditors Offices as per bill filed and certified by County Agent.

No 175 Ordered that W. Park and Son be allowed Six Dollars and sixty six cents ($6.66) for goods furnished County Asylum as per bill filed and certified by County Agent.

No 176 Ordered that Charles Stinely be allowed seven Dollars for repairs on County Jail as per bill filed and certified by County Agent

No 177 Ordered that Jas. N. Chamberlain be allowed three Dollars and twenty five cents for medicines furnished County Asylum as per bill filed and certified by County Agent

Ordered that J. & R. Ettinger be allowed Eight Dollars for making Coffin for No. 4178 Dooley a Pauper as per bill filed

Adjourned till tomorrow morning at eight oclock

A. Provines
David Buchanan
Henry Funkelmeier

March Session 1861 third day

Wednesday March 6th 1861 Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

No. 4179 Ordered that John Johnson be allowed twelve Dollars for making two cases for the Court House as per bill filed and certified by County Clerk

No 4180 Ordered that John Johnson be allowed three Dollars ($3) for making Book Case for Auditors Office as per bill filed and certified by Co. Clerk

Ordered that W. Park & Son be allowed ten Dollars forty five cents ($10.45) for goods furnished County Asylum as per Bill filed and certified by N. H. Matthews Sup—

No. 4181

Ordered that Stiefel & Wolf be allowed twenty three Dollars and twenty one cents for goods furnished County Asylum as per bill filed and certified by N. H. Matthews Sup—

No. 4182

Ordered that Mercer & Brother be allowed One Dollar and sixty cents ($1.60) medicines furnished Co. Asylum as per bill and certified by Superintendent

No. 4183

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No. 4184 Ordered that S. B. Ward be allowed one Dollar and sixty two cents ($1.62) for shoes furnished Co. Poor as per bill filed and certified by N. H. Matthews Superintendant

No. 4185 Ordered that W. Park and Son be allowed ten Dollars & forty five cents ($10.45) for goods furnished poor person as per bill filed and certified by V. C. Elson Trustee of Jackson township.

Ordered that V. C. Elson be allowed fourteen Dollars ($14.00) for Flour
No. 4186 Coffin and medical attendance of paupers, as per bill filed and certified by V. C. Elson Trustee of Jackson township.

V. C. Elson Trustee of Jackson township now presents his report of the receipts and expenditures of said township for the year ending March 1st 1861 which being deemed satisfactory was accepted by the Board.

Ordered that V. C. Elson be allowed fifty seven Dollars ($57.00) out of the funds of Jackson township for services as Trustee of said Jackson township for the year ending March 1st A. D. 1861.

N. H. Matthews now presents his report as Superintendant of County farm. Accepted.

Ordered that N. H. Matthews be allowed three hundred and thirty seven Dollars and sixty five cents ($337.65) less forty Dollars ($40.00)
No. 4187 deducted on account of non performance of Contract and twenty six ($26.00) deducted for rent leaving two hundred and seventy one Dollars and sixty five cents ($271.65) amount of Matthews Order.

Ordered that Joseph Maxwell be allowed forty Dollars ($40.00) by way of damages recieved on account of the failure of N. H. Matthews
No. 4153 to perform Contract on Poor farm in Consequence of the said Matthews failing to sow ten acres of wheat on said farm in the fall of 1860.

No. 4155 Ordered that S. W. Widney be allowed two Dollars fourteen cents
No. 4157 for Stationary &c as per bill filed and certified by S. W. Widney County Recorder. ($1.50 of this expense of Poor)

Ordered that Jas. N. Chamberlain be allowed three Dollars
No. 4190 and eighty cents Expenses of Prisoners as per bill filed and certified by J. N. Chamberlain

Ordered that a further deduction of Eight Dollars ($8.00) be made from the allowance to N. H. Matthews on account of deficiency on inventory as per Report and bill of said Matthews. leaving the amount of said Matthews allowance two hundred and sixty three Dollars and sixty five cents ($263.65)

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed ten Dollars ($10.00)
No. 4191 for Summoning Petit jury January Term Court Common Pleas as per filed and certified by J. N. Chamberlain Sheriff

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed Ninety Eight Cents
No. 4192 for making Settlement Roll for 1861 as per Bill filed & certified to

Ordered that A. J. Hunt Auditor, be allowed One $7/100 Dollars for
No. 4193 Sundries articles as per bill filed & certified to

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Ordered that A. J. Hunt Auditor be allowed the sum of Eighty six Dollars and forty five cents for services as Auditor as per Bill filed and certified to. No 4194

Ordered that A. J. Hunt Auditor be allowed Seventy Five Dollars & Ninety nine cents for services as Auditor as per Bill filed and certified to. 4195

Came now Milton F. Pierce and presents a claim against said De Kalb County which claim is in the words and figures following

De Kalb County (Indiana)
To Milton F. Pierce Dr

To filing and preserving in my office as Auditor of said County 2,905 Statements of property returned by the appraisement of the Estate of said County from persons required to list the same at 6 cts each, Total amount $ 174.30

March 6 1861 M. F. Pierce

Take and allow of said Co

The Statements above mentioned are from the respective township as follows

Butler Township	180
Jackson "	200
Concord "	852
Newville "	171
Stafford "	112
Wilmington "	296
Union "	438
Richland "	275
Fairfield "	300
Smithfield "	235
Franklin	238
Troy	108
	2905

I Albert J. Hunt auditor of said County certify that the above number of Statement of the Appraisement of Real Estate in the year 1859 are now and was on file and preserved in the Auditors office of said County at the time I came into said office March 5th 1861 according to the Count of J. M. Case

"A. J. Hunt Aud. of DK Co Ind"

And the said claimant now here presents his proof of said claim, and the said Board after mature deliberation reject said Claim and refuse to allow any amount thereof to which M. F. Pierce, by Attorney Wm H. Gill gave notice of an intention to appeal to the Circuit Court of DeKalb County, from said Order

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Ordered that Mercer & Bro be allowed the sum of One
4196 Dollar and Eighteen cents for sundries of Mercer & Brothers as per
bill filed and certified by D. M. Ralston

A Petition for a private road in Concord township is now presented to the board signed by several citizens of said Concord township in words and figures as follows.

"To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of De Kalb County. The undersigned citizens and freeholders of Concord township in said County would respectfully ask your Honorable Board to appoint viewers to view and locate a private road twenty five feet wide. Commencing at the quarter post on the Section line running North and South between Sections thirty three and thirty four in township thirty three Range fourteen. County aforesaid said quarter post being the corner of land owned by John A. Chellis and Daniel Spitler thence North on said Section line fourteen rods through land owned by Samuel Shirts and the heirs of Thomas Anderson to the Scipio and Spencerville road. Your petitioners would respectfully represent that said Daniel Spitler has at this time no road or way to get to his land except by paping over land owned by others, and the line proposed is the best ground and nearest point to a public highway. That there is no public highway touching the land of said Spitler at any point And not point as near as the above described. Feb. 7. 1861."

And on due consideration the board grant the prayer of the Petitioners and appoint Wm Henderson Jacob Dils and David Butler to view the rout for a road described in said Petition

Ordered that R. B. Catlin be allowed ten Dollars forty five cents ($10.45)
4197 for cash advanced &c as per bill filed and certified by R. B. Catlin. County Treasurer (Specific)

Ordered that R. B. Catlin be allowed ninety Eight Dollars
4198½ and ninety four cents ($98.94) for Registering and Journalizing County Orders as per bill filed and certified by Co. Treas.

On motion adjourned till tomorrow morning Eight o'clock

A Rowles
David Buchanan
Henry Hufferman

March Session A.D. 1861 fourth day

Thursday morning Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

Issued May 1861 No 4323 Ordered that six hundred and twenty five Dollars ($625.00) be and hereby is appropriated for the purchase of a Safe for the use of the County Offices to be paid only on order of the Board

Philip B. Nimmons Trustee of Wilmington now presents his report of the receipts and expenditures of his township for the year Ending March first A.D. 1861 which being deemed satisfactory was accepted by the Board.

Ordered that P. B. Nimmons be allowed forty Dollars and ninety three cents ($40.93) out of the funds of Wilmington township for Services as Trustee of said township for the year Ending March 1. 1861

4198 Ordered that David Hart be allowed six Dollars for cash expenses as Constable in case of State Vs Simmons Et al as per bill filed and certified by said Hart

Butler Township

Taxes levied in Butler township for the financial year 1861 by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said township.

Special School Tax. Twenty five cents on each hundred Dollars valuation and fifty cents on each taxable Poll.

Road Tax. fifteen cents on each hundred Dollars valuation and one and one fourth (1¼) cents on each acre of land and fifty Dollars Township tax

Jackson Township

Taxes levied in Jackson township for the financial year 1861 by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said township.

Special School Tax. Twenty five cents on each hundred Dollars valuation and fifty cents on each taxable Poll.

Road Tax. fifteen cents on each one hundred Dollars valuation and one and one fourth cents on each acre of land.

Township Tax. five cents on each hundred Dollars valuation

Concord Township

Taxes levied in Concord Township by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said township for the Financial year 1861

Special School Tax. Twenty five cents on Each hundred Dollars valuation and fifty cents on Each taxable Poll.

Road Tax fifteen cents on each hundred Dollars valuation one and one fourth cents on each acre of land.

Township Tax one hundred Dollars.

Newville Township

Taxes levied in Newville Township for the year 1861 by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said Township.

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Special School Tax twenty five cents on each one hundred Dollars valuation and fifty cents on each taxable Poll.

Road Tax fifteen cents on each hundred Dollars valuation and one and one fourth cents on each acre of Land.

Township Tax seventy five Dollars (75) 8 on cent

Stafford Township

Taxes levied in Stafford Township by Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said Township for the financial year 1861.

Road Tax. Fifteen cents on each one hundred Dollars valuation and one and one fourth cents on each acre of Land

Township Tax fifty Dollars. (50) 6 on cent

Wilmington Township

Taxes levied in Wilmington township by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said township for financial year 1861.

Special School Tax Twenty five cents on Each one hundred Dollars valuation and fifty cents on each Poll. Road tax. Fifteen cents on each one hundred Dollars valuation and one and one fourth cents on each acre of Land

Township Tax fifty Dollars

Union Township

Taxes levied in Union township by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said Township for financial year A. D. 1861.

Special School Tax. Fifteen cents on the one hundred Dollars valuation and Road Tax fifteen cents on the hundred Dollars valuation and one and one fourth cents on each acre of Land

Richland Township

Taxes levied in Richland township by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said Township for the financial year 1861.

Special School ten cents on the hundred Dollars valuation.

Road fifteen cents on the hundred Dollars valuation and one and one fourth cents on each acre of Land.

Township one hundred and fifty Dollars.

Fairfield Township

Taxes levied in Fairfield township by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said township for financial year A. D. 1861.

Special School Tax twenty five cents on each one hundred Dollars valuation and fifty cents on each Poll.

Road. Fifteen cents on each one hundred Dollars valuation and one and one fourth cents on each acre of Land.

Township ninety Dollars. (90.00)

Smithfield Township

Taxes levied in Smithfield township by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said township for financial year 1861

Special School. twenty five cents on the hundred Dollars valuation and fifty cents

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each Poll. Road Tax fifteen cents on each hundred Dollars valuation and one and one fourth cents on each acre of Land.

Township. One hundred Dollars ($100.00)

Franklin Township

Taxes levied in Franklin Township by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said township for the financial year A.D. 1861.

Special School Tax. Twenty five cents on the hundred Dollars valuation and fifty cents on each taxable Poll.

Road. Fifteen cents on each hundred Dollars valuation and 1¼ cents on each acre of Land.

Township. One hundred Dollars ($100.00)

Troy Township

Taxes levied in Troy Township by the Board of Commissioners and Trustee of said Township for the financial year A.D. 1861.

Special School tax 25 cent on each one hundred Dollars valuation and twenty five cents on each taxable Poll.

Road. Fifteen cents on each hundred Dollars valuation and 1¼ cents on each acres of Land.

Township. Five cents on each hundred Dollars valuation.

No 4154 Ordered that Sheets & Braden be allowed one hundred and thirteen Dollars and ninety cents as per bill filed and certified by Co. Officers for Books and Stationary.

No 4155 Ordered that A. N. Blood be allowed fifteen Dollars and fifty cents ($15.50) for cash advanced and care of Catharine Copeman a County Charge as per bill filed and certified by A. N. Blood.

4199 Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed eleven Dollars and 54 cents for services at present Sepion of the board as per bill filed and certified by Co. Auditor.

.52 00 Ordered that Alexander Provines be allowed twelve Dollars and for services as Com— at present Term of the Board

No 4157 Ordered that David Buchanan be allowed twelve Dollars for services as Commissioner at present term of the Board

No 4156 Ordered that Henry Fuselman be allowed twelve Dollars for services as Commissioner at the present term of the board

No 5201 Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed Eight Dollars for services as Sheriff at the present Sepion of the Board.

Adjourned

A Provines
David Buchanan
Henry Fuselman

Vacation between March & June Session 1861

Assignment of School Certificate No. 12 Smithfield

I Daniel Krum Assign the within over to Jonas Krum & Jonas Krum do agree to fill the within article to said Commissioners and to comply with the payments therein named. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 18th day of January A.D. 1853.

Attest Joel Rutan. Daniel Krum (Seal)
Martha Krum (Seal)

Jonas Krum (Seal)

Assignment of School Certificate No 12 Smithfield

For value received I Jonas Krum and Elizabeth Krum his wife assign the within article to Frederick Krum. The said Frederick Krum agrees to pay the balance on the within Article to said Commissioners or their Successors in Office of De Kalb County Ind.

Whereunto we set our hands and seals this first day of December A. D. 1853.

Executed in the presence of Joel Rutan J. P. this first day of Dec. 1853.

Jonas Krum (Seal)
Elizabeth Krum (Seal)

Assignment of School Certificate No 12 Smithfield

For value received We Frederick Krum and Mary Jane Krum hereby assign all our right and title and interest in & to the within to John Shull. In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this Eleventh day of July 1860.

Frederick Krum (Seal)
Mary J. Krum (Seal)

State of Indiana
De Kalb County ss: Personally appeared before me J. P. Beers Notary Public in and for said County Frederick Krum and Mary J. Krum and acknowledged the assigning the within Certificate to John Shull this Eleventh day of July A. D. 1860. Witness my hand and Notarial seal the date above written

J. P. Beers Notary Public (Seal)

Assignment of School Certificate No 12 Smithfield

For value received I John Shull assign all my right title and interest to the foregoing Certificate to Polly Shull in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this fourteenth day of March A.D. 1861.

John Shull (Seal)

State of Indiana
De Kalb County ss: Signed and acknowledged before me this fourteenth day of March 1861

A. J. Hunt Auditor (Seal)
De Kalb Co.

Deed

Auditor of De Kalb Co. to Polly Shull

Whereas Polly Shull Assignee of John Shull Assignee of Thomas Knum, Assignee of Jonas Knum, Assignee of Daniel Knum Original holder of School Certificate No 12 of Smithfield has paid the full sum of One Hundred and ninety five Dollars for the South half of the South East quarter of Section number sixteen in Township number thirty five (35) North of Range Thirteen (13) East Containing Eighty acres more or less.

Now Know Ye that for and in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the Statute in such cases made and provided. I Albert J. Hunt Auditor in and for the County of De Kalb in the State of Indiana for and in the name of the Inhabitants of Congressional Township No. thirty five (35) North of Range thirteen (13) East. Do give and grant unto the said Polly Shull all the before described South half of the South East quarter of Section Sixteen and to her heirs and assigns forever.

In witness Whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County this nineteenth day of March A. D. 1861.

Albert J. Hunt Auditor
De Kalb County

State of Indiana }
De Kalb County } ss Before me S. W. Widney Recorder in and for said County came Albert J. Hunt Auditor of said County and acknowledged the above deed.

L. S.

Witness my hand and Official Seal this 19th day of March 1861

S. W. Widney Recorder

"This Article of Agreement witnesseth that Jonathan D. Effel has this day bargained all the right and interest of David Kane deceased at the time of his death in the North half of the South east quarter of Section 16 in Town 36 Range 13 East in DeKalb County Indiana for the sum of Sixty three dollars and twelve cents, nineteen dollars and fifty cents in hand, twenty one dollars and 66 cents in one year, and twenty one dollars and 66 cents in eighteen months with interest. Sold by Order of the Probate Court of DeKalb County July 12th 1858"

"Egbert B Mott Administrator"

On the above are the following Endorsements

"Rec'd on the within contract Eighteen dollars and Eleven cents July 12th 1858" "E. B. Mott Administrator"

"For value Rec'd I sign all my interest in the within, to Joseph Freed" "March 15th 1861."

"Jonathan D Effel"

Seal
Auditor's Deed
Heirs of Joseph Freed

Whereas the Heirs at law of Joseph Freed Assignee of Jonathan D Effel Assignee of Egbert B Mott Administrator of David Kane Deceased have paid the full Sum of One hundred & Eighty seven Dollars and fifty cents in full for the North half of the South East quarter of Section Sixteen (16) Town thirty five (35) North of Range thirteen (13) East in said County of DeKalb & State of Indiana containing Eighty acres, be the same more or less

Now Know Ye, that for and in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the Statute in such case made and provided I Albert J Hunt Auditor in and for said County of DeKalb and State of Indiana for and in the name of the Inhabitants of Congressional Township No thirty five (35) North of Range thirteen (13) East, do give and grant unto the said Heirs at law of the said Joseph Freed the said North half of the South East quarter of Section Sixteen to their Heirs and assigns forever.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto Subscribed My Name as Auditor of said County and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County this 11 day of April A. D. 1861

A J Hunt Auditor of DeKalb County

Seal

State of Indiana
DeKalb county ss

Before me D. W. Fidney Recorder in and for said County personally appeared Albert J Hunt Auditor of said County and acknowledged the execution of the within Deed — Witness my hand and Official Seal this April 11th 1861

D W Fidney
Recorder

Seal

April Special Sepion Wednesday April 24th 1861

Board of Commissioners De Kalb County met pursuant to notice to determine in Contested Election case of

John Stich vs Daniel Richel } Contested Election Supervisor District No 14 Union township

Present A. Provines David Buchanan and Henry Tupelman Commissioners A. J. Hunt Auditor & Jas Griswold Dep. Sheriff

On motion the Board adjourned to meet on Saturday the 4th day of May 1861 at 10 o Clock A.M.

A Provines
David Buchanan
Henry Tupelman

May Special Sepion Saturday morning May 4th 1861.

John Stich vs Daniel Richel } Contested Election Supervisor District No 14 Union Township

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present Alexander Provines, David Buchanan and Henry Tupelman Commissioners. A. J. Hunt Auditor & Clerk and J. N. Chamberlain Sheriff.

The above named case being called and the Court being advised as to the facts decide that John Stich was duly elected Supervisor of said road district No 14 and the Auditor issue a certificate of Election to the said Stich.

And the Board further decide that each of the parties pay the costs which they have severally made in the case

4227 Ordered that Alexander Provines David Buchanan and Henry
4228 & 4229 Tupelman be ach allowed the sum of Six for two days attendance each at the in the foregoing Contested Election case.

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed the sum of three Dollars for
4230 as Auditor in the above named case.

Ordered that J. N Chamberlain be allowed the sum of One Dollar
4231 and fifty cents for services as Sheriff at this Sepion

And the Board adjourned

A Provines
David Buchanan
Henry Tupelman

John Stroh
vs.
Daniel Kickel

Contested Election Road District No 14 Union Tp

Fees in the above Case

Witness Fees= Claimed	No. days	Auditors Fees	
John Ralston		Filing complaint	.05
John McCune		Notice to Clerk	.25
Adam Stroh		Two Subpoenas	1.00
		Notice to Contestee	.50
Sheriffs Fees		Copy of Statement to "	.25
Serving Notice	.30	Entering judgment	.20
milage	.30		2.25
return	.10		
Serving Subpoena	.60		
milage	.50		
return	.10		
Serving Subpoena	.60		
milage	.10		
return	.10		
	2.70		

Copy fees in the above case in full June 1st 1860

Jos A Chamberlain Sheriff

June Term A. D. 1861 first day

Monday morning June 3rd 1861 Board of Commissioners of De Kalb County met pursuant to Law Present A. Provines David Buchanan and Henry Fupelman Commissioners. A. J. Hunt Auditor and Clerk of Board and J. N. Chamberlain Sheriff.

One o'Clock P. M. The Board of Equalization for De Kalb County met as the law requires, Present the members of said Board as follows A. Provines David Buchanan and Henry Fupelman Commissioners A. J. Hunt Auditor and the following named Assessors for said County of De Kalb Samuel Hauver, A. D. Godschins, John Chellis, Alva Lawrence, Jacob Crise Elisha Ocker Jacob Willard William McIntyre John Reinoehl Cris Danks William Derrim and J. F. Casebeer,

The Board of Equalization being duly ~~sworn~~ sworn by John Ralston Clerk of the Circuit Court now proceed to examine the assessments of the current year.

And at 5 o'Clock P. M. the Board adjourned to meet at 8 o'Clock A. M. to morrow.

A Provines
David Buchanan
Henry Fupelman
Commissioners

A. J. Hunt Auditor

Samuel Hauver A. D. Godschins J. Chellis
Alva Lawrence Jacob Crise Elisha Ocker Jacob Willard
William McIntyre John Reinoehl Cris Danks Wm H. Derrim
J. F. Casebeer Assessors

Tuesday morning June 4th 1861 The Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday when the unfinished business of yesterday was taken up and completed when the Board of Equalization adjourned.

A Provines
David Buchanan
Henry Fupelman
Commissioners

A. J. Hunt Auditor

Samuel Hauver A. D. Godschins J. Chellis
Alva Lawrence Jacob Crise Elisha Ocker
Jacob Willard William McIntyre John Reinoehl
Cris Danks Wm H. Derrim J. F. Casebeer

The Board of Commissioners being now in session the Assessors now present their bills which were allowed as follows the said Assessors being duly sworn to their correctness.

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No 4367	Butler township	$41.50	Richland township	$60.00	No. 4373
" 4368	Jackson "	43.00	Union "	60.00	" 4374
" 4369	Concord "	57.00	Fairfield "	48.00	" 4375
" 4370	Newville "	24.00	Smithfield "	45.00	" 4376
" 4371	Stafford "	25.50	Franklin "	43.50	" 4377
" 4372	Wilmington	63.00	Troy "	24.00	" 4378

No 4377 Ordered that C. L Nill be allowed the sum of twenty nine Dollars & 75/100 for stationary furnished County as per bill filed and certified by County Clerk.

4404 Ordered that J. M. Minnich be allowed six Dollars & forty five cents ($6.45) for groceries & provisions furnished Fredric Weaver a pauper as per bill filed and certified by township Trustee of Union

4405 Ordered that Solomon Stough be allowed the sum of five Dollars & fifty cents for medicine &c furnished Fredric Weaver a pauper as per bill filed and certified by Trustee of Union township

4406 Ordered that John Butt be allowed the sum of two Dollars for board & care of pauper as per bill certified & on file and on file

A petition is presented to the Board and signed by many citizens praying for the location of a road in the village of Waterloo, which is in words and figures as follows,

"The undersigned would respectfully petition the Hon. Board of County Commissioners of De Kalb County Indiana — And ask that a road be located running as follows, Commencing at the South End of Washington Street (as laid out in the plat of Waterloo) then running north along said Washington Street to Union Street, then north across the the lands of Frothingham Jarvis & Comm Mrs. Rhorebaugh and James Bowman to the Street running from Wayne Street to Uniontown then along said Street to the new Bridge across Cedar Creek on the Fort Wayne & Coldwater road, Your petitioners further representing that said road will be of great utility not only to your petitioners but to the entire Town of Auburn and ask that disinterested persons may be appointed to view the same. Waterloo May 29th 1861,

Cedar Grove June 7. 1861

signed by B. B. Long and many others

On consideration the Board appoint Abraham McCoy Edward Taylor and Isaac Jackman viewers on said proposed route for a road

A petition is now presented numerously signed praying for the location of a road in Waterloo said petition being in words and figures as follows

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To the Hon. Board of Commissioners of De Kalb County, Indiana
the undersigned would respectfully petition and ask that a road
may be located in Union township in said County as follows.
Commencing on Wayne street in Waterloo where Van Vleet street
intersects said Wayne street and running directly West with
said Van Vleet street to the road North and south on the section
line between Sections three and four in said Township being
June 7, 1861. a distance of one fourth of a mile. And the undesigned would further
inform and say that notice of this application has been given
by posting up notice as required by law for more than twenty
days previous to the meeting of your Board and they respectfu-
lly ask viewers appointed to report upon the same.
And on due consideration the Board grant the prayer of said
petition and appoint Abrahom McCoy E. H. Taylor and Isaac Jackman
viewers of said route for a road.

Ordered that H.W. Woods be allowed the sum of nine teen
4289 Dollars and fifty cents ($19.50) for care and board of a pauper
as per bill filed and certified by Trustee of Jackson Township

The viewers appointed by the Board at the March Session 1861
present their report of said view. in words and figures as follows
"April 13th 1861

We the viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 13th day of
April 1861 proceed to view the proposed line of road as follows
to wit Commencing West corner of Sections 18 & 19 on the road known
as the township line Road between townships No 33 & 34 North of Range
15 East on the section line between said Sections 18 & 19 in said
Town 34 Range 15 one mile to the road known as the Newville and
Fish Creek road — as described in the Order We did view and
mark out said route and we the viewers report said Road unnecessa-
ry and not of public utility." (signed by) S. H. Bartlett H. H. Wanemaker
Albert Boyer. Report accepted by Board

4285 Ordered that S. H. Bartlett H. H. Wanemaker and Albert Boyer
4286 be allowed each the sum of one dollar for services viewing the fore-
4286 described route for a road.

Report of a road view in Butler township which is in
words and figures as follows. "We the Viewers appointed to view said
"Road did on the 29th day of May 1861 proceed to the duties appointed us
"and do describe said Road as follows to wit, Commencing at the center
Notice issued" of Butler Township thence south with the Section line to a point one hun-
to Trustee "and seven and 1/4 perches south of the south East corner of Section Twenty
"one (21) thence S. 10½° W. 20 1/4 perches to a beech thence S. 28° W. 12½ perches
"to an oak 20 inches in diameter thence S. 13° E. 6½ perches to an oak 6 inches
"in diameter thence S. 38½° E. 14 perches & 23 links to a post 2 perches & 8 links

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west q quarter post. Thence S. 30½° E. 13 poches & 5 links to beech
thence South 31¼° E. 44½ poches to the State Road. Said road we
make of the width of thirty feet. The courses q the lines q said
road accord width magnetic bearings q the compass Except
the part on the section line,
as described in the Order. We Christian Sheets William
Grube & John A Dittmars did view and mark out said road
and we the viewers report said Road favorable and q public
utility (Signed by) Christian Sheets William Grube and
John A. Dittmars. Ordered the above described road be established

4407 Ordered that C. Sheets Wm Grube & John A Dittman
4408 be viewers be each allowed the sum q one Dollar for services as
4409 viewers and J. McCune be allowed $2.50 for services as surveyor
4410 on said road.

Ordered the viewers report be established

Report q Road view in Troy in words and
figures as follows. "May 6th. 1861." "We the viewers appointed
to view said road did on the 6th day q May 1861 proceed
to view said road as follows to wit. Commencing at the township
line between Franklin and Troy township on the bluff banks q
Fish Creek on the south side q the Creek between Section twelve q Franklin
township and section seven q Troy township thence running northwesterly
along the bluff through land owned by Edward Clark and John G.
Gray until it strikes the mill dam q Abraham Kepler thence
Northwesterly on said mill dam across Fish Creek and through said
Keplers mill yard till it strikes a lane or road running from the
Defiance Road to said saw mill thence north along said lane to
the Defiance Road. the same as described in the Order.
We did view and mark out said road and we the viewers report
said Road favorable and q public utility the said road to be q the
width q forty feet (Signed) John Helwig Jesse W Rose Alonzo Finney viewers

4427 Ordered that Alonzo Finney be allowed $1.50 and John
4428 Helwig and J. W Rose each one Dollar ($1.00) for service viewing
4429 the foregoing described road for a road.

The Southern Central Jackson township Ditching Association
now presents a memorial asking the Board to appoint Appraisers
Order issued June 11. 1861 to estimate the benefits injury &c which may resulting from the operations q
said Association. On due consideration the board appoint
Henry Dove Samuel Varney & William Philips said Appraisers.

Report q Road view in Fairfield township
in words & figures as follows "Fairfield May 4th 1861
"We the Viewers appointed to view said road did on the 4th
"day q May 1861 proceed to view a certain Road in Fairfield Township
the said road as follows to wit, Commencing at the quarter post
on the north side q section two thence South to the quarter post

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"on the South side of Section Eleven a distance of two miles,
Notice ipsd and Consider the same of public utility, Lay out and establish
to Sunter "the same to the width of thirty feet as described in the
June 18th "Order. We David Ragen Jacob Bonser & David Reinschl did
"did view and mark out said road and we the viewers report
"said Road favorable and of public utility (Signed)
"David Ragen Jacob Bonser & David Reinschl.

4430 Ordered that the foregoing described road be established

4431 Ordered that David Ragen Jacob Bonser & David Reinsch
4432 be each allowed the sum of one Dollar for services in viewing the said road.

"Report of Road View on County Line between Noble and De Kalb. which is in words and figures as follows
"We the viewers appointed to view said road did on the 15th day of
April 1861 proceed to view said Road as follows to wit.
Notice ipsd Commencing at the north east corner of Noble County Running from
to Sunter "thence South on the County line six miles and that said Road
"was laid out the width of forty feet as described in the Order
"We did view and mark out said road and we the viewers report
"said road favorable and of general public utility." Willard Childs John Lawrence.
Ordered that the foregoing described road be established

Ordered that Willard Childs be allowed the sum of three
4433 Dollars for services viewing the above described road.

Report of Road view in Fairfield township which is in words and figures as follows.
"We the viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 4th day
of May 1861 proceed to view the rout for said Road as follows
"to wit. Commencing at the centre of Section two in Fairfield township
"thence running East on the quarter line to intersect a road running
"north and South from the County line to Lawrence as described in the
"Order. We did view and mark out said rout and we the viewers
"report said road unfavorable and of no public utility
"Signed ji M. Brumbach John Buchanan viewers.
Report accepted by Board

4427 Ordered that ji M Brumbach & John Buchanan be each
4428 allowed the sum of one Dollar ($1.00) for services viewing the above described rout for a road.

50 34 86 28 Ordered that Eighty Dollars ($80.00 be appropriated for the Construction of a bridge across Cedar Creek near Paul Lungs in Smith Township and A. Downes be appointed Agent to superintend the construction of said Bridge.

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Petition for a road view on the line between the Townships of Jackson and Concord which is in words and figures as follows. "To the Commissioners of De Kalb County. The undersigned petitioners beg leave to state that there is much demand for a public highway on the line between Jackson and Concord townships Commencing at the south east corner of Section twenty five of Jackson township thence north to the South East corner of section one of said Jackson Township. The said proposed road will touch upon and pass through lands owned by George Houk Peter Bishop Thomas Toney John McCune Peter High & Albert Henry Dove Philip Eazmon Amariah Johnson Jonathan Ervin William B Moore Peter Moor Marcus Rhodes Samuel Moor Isaac Culbertson Truman Camp John Doors Francis Reynolds. Should you grant a review of said road you will thereby greatly subserve the interest of the citizens of that commmunity &c" Signed by Jonathan Ervin and twelve others.

On Consideration the Commissioners grant the prayer of the petitioners and appoint I. B. Goldsmith C. P. Coleman & James Wicks viewers of said road.

Petition for a private road in Richland township. in words and figures as follows.

"We the undersigned freeholders of Richland Township De Kalb "County Indiana Request the honorable Board of Commissioners of "said County to appoint viewers to view and locate a private road "twenty feet wide commencing at the south west corner of the "north west quarter of the south East quarter of section Twelve in "Township 34 Range 12 East on the land owned by Joseph G. Rauh "thence in a south direction running across the lands owned by "Christian Buys and Christian Fretz on the quarter Section line until "it intersects the township road and there to End"

On due consideration, the Board, inasmuch as there was no remonstrance filed against the foregoing petition Order that the road praged for in said petition be Estatilished without a view Width 25 feet

Adjourned to meet at 8 o'clock A. M. to morrow.

E Rowines
David Buchanan
Henry Zufelman

June Session A. D. 1861 3d day

Wednesday morning June 5th the Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present Alexander Perrine, David Buchanan and Henry Tuffiman

A. J. Hunt, Sheriff & Clerk

A Petition is presented to the Board of Commissioners from Richland & is signed by many citizens, praying for the location of a road in said Township, in the words & figure as follows

To the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County.

We the undersigned Citizens of Richland Township respectfully ask from your Honorable board to appoint viewers to view a route for a road in Richland Township described as follows. Commencing at the quarter post on the north side of section no twenty two (22) in said township thence East on the section line between section twenty two (22) and fifteen (15) to the north East corner of said section twenty two, the distance of one half mile said route being on the line between the lands of J. Palmer, Daniel Hinton Joshua Teagler and Addison Graham

On due consideration of said Petition the Board appoint Henry Wells, James McCaguer & Hannon Bangs viewers on said route for a Road

Ordered that

Ordered that the Board now appoint John McCune as inspector of Elections for Auburn Precinct for the ensuing year

Ordered that A B Ward be allowed One Dollar for one pair of Shoes for Dumph as per bill filed

Notice having been given & presented to the Board, of an application to sell Spirituous liquors in less quantity than one quart by John Woods of Waterloo, Lot No &c.

Came now in open Session John Woods of Waterloo, and asks the Commissioners, and asks to grant him license to vend Spirituous liquors in less quantity than one quart, and there being sufficient evidence on file, that notice had been given in a public Newspaper printed in the county for four consecutive weeks, that said John Woods would apply at the present Session of the Board for said license, and said John Woods producing to the Board satisfactory evidence that he is a man of good moral character, the board upon Mature deliberation

Ordered that John Woods be authorized to sell Spirituous liquors at his saloon on lot No 40 in the town of Waterloo DeKalb County for the term of one year from the sixth day of June 1861 and that he pay into the County Treasury the sum of Fifty Dollars

An act to regulate and license the sale of spirituous liquors and other intoxicating liquors

6 Certificate issued June 6.

4425

June Session 1861 3rd day

License granted June 6. prohibit the adulteration of liquors, to repeal all former laws contravening the provisions of this act and providing for penalties for violation of ~~said~~ thereof Approved March 5th 1853.

A Petition is now presented to the Board of Commissioners, from Jackson Township signed by manyens citizens, praying for the location of a road in said township, which is in the words and figures following, to wit

To the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County,

We the undersigned freeholders of Jackson Township would humbly pray your honorable body to change the Fish Creek Road, said alteration to be as follows, commencing at the section corner Order issued June 6. in the north East corner of Section (30) thirty & running forty One rods West & thence running due North until it intersects the Fish Creek Road, and to vacate the part of the Fish Creek Road lying South of said intersection, down to the place of beginning, in the North East corner of Sec 30, Running through the land of A L Casebeer on the South, and through the lands Carlisle Wells on the North East & West, Jackson Township DeKalb Co. Ind May 1st 61

On due deliberation the Board of said petition the Board appoint David McDaniels Jacob Bunsenhouse & Joseph Brown viewers on said road for a Road

Ordered that John S Miller be allowed the sum 4424 of Twelve Dollars & Seventy five cents for one pair Shaw & board of Ariel Walden. Jackson as per Bill filed.

A Petition is now presented to the Board of Commissioners from Richland Township signed by many citizens, praying for the location of a road, in said township, in the words & figures following to wit

To the Board of Commissioners for the County of DeKalb and State of Indiana,

We the undersigned resident freeholders of the County of DeKalb would respectfully petition your honorable body to locate a Road or Highway in the Township of Richland commencing (25) twenty three Rods East of the North West corner of the North East quarter of Section Seven (7) thence South Forty four (44) rods thence East Twenty four (24) Rods, thence South until Order issued June 6th it intersects a ravine about fifty (50) rods, South of the South line of the above described quarter Section, thence in South Westerly direction until it comes within forty one rods of the West line of the South East quarter of Section Seven (7) thence South until it intersects the State road leading from Auburn in DeKalb County to Lisbon in Noble County and in running South we would respectfully pray that your line run parallel with the west lines of the above described lands,

Over

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Said Highway to be twenty five (25) feet in width. Said Road passes through land owned by Michael Kline, Joseph Kerkpatrick and Austin Bixler

On due consideration of said Petition the Board appointed Jacob Trago, Isaac Kutzner & Henry Krull viewers on said Road for a Road

A Petition is now presented to the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Waterloo signed by numerous citizens praying for the location of a Road in the town of Waterloo in the words and figures following, to wit.

To the Honorable County Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana

We the undersigned respectfully ask and prayer of your honorable Body that you establish and locate a road commencing at the South line of the town plat of Waterloo where Wayne Street in said town connects with said line and running thence north along Street to the north line of said plat and thence thence in a northerly direction along the new road now in use, till it strikes the foot of Main Street in Unionlown at the new bridge crossing Cedar Creek between the said towns as per Notice posted

Ordered Spread June 6. 1861

On due consideration of said Petition, the Board appoint Isaac Jackson Abraham McCoy & Edward Taylor viewers on said road for a Road.

Ordered that John Wyatt be allowed Ten Dollars for Boarding Ann Gooden a pauper as per bill filed and certified by Trustee of Concord township

4434
1484

Ordered that John Ralston, Clerk of the court of Records for DeKalb County, be allowed the sum of Twenty two 3/100 Dollars. It being the costs in full in the case of Samuel Sprotte vs. DeKalb County as per Bill filed and certified by said Clerk.

4435

Incorporated Town of Auburn

Taxes levied in the Incorporated town of Auburn for the financial year 1861 by the Board of Commissioners and Trustees of said Town.

Special School tax, twenty five cents on each hundred Dollars valuation & fifty cents on each Poll

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4414 Ordered that M. Rodes be allowed the Sum of Twenty Nine $\frac{3}{100}$ Dollars for goods furnished County Asylum as per Bill filed and certified to by County Superintendent of Poor

4415 Ordered that M. Rodes be allowed the Sum of Three $\frac{60}{100}$ Dollars as per Bill filed & certified to (as expences for Jail) by Isaac N. Chamberlain Co Agent.

4395 Ordered that W. Cole & Son be allowed the Sum of Eight $\frac{25}{100}$ Dollars for Goods furnished County Asylum, as ~~entered~~ to be Josef per Bill filed & certified to by County Supt of Poor.

4436 Ordered that L. Bowers be allowed the Sum of Fifty five cents for goods for county Asylum as per Bill filed and certified to by Co Superintendent of poor

June 5. 4383 Ordered that Joseph Maxwell. (Superintendent of County Asylum) be allowed the Sum of Two Hundred & Twenty four $\frac{63}{100}$ Dollars as per Bill filed and certified to by said Superintendent. Said Bill, for Services rendered. 1st June 1st 1861

4388 Ordered that John Mease be allowed the Sum of Twelve Dollars for Clover Seed for poor farm, as per Bill filed and certified to by County Superintendent.

4437 Ordered that John Ralston be allowed the Sum of Nine $\frac{39}{100}$ Dollars for Stationary &c as per bill filed & certified to by said Ralston.

The Board now adjourn till 8 o'clock to morrow morning

D Provines
David Buckaman
Henry Zupelman

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The Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

A Petition is now presented asking for a road view in Franklin Township which is in words and figures as follows to wit

"To the honorable Board of Commissioners of De Kalb County Indiana

We the undersigned Citizens of Franklin township County and State aforesaid would respectfully represent to your honorable Board that our interest and also of Community in this vicinity would be

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"enhanced by locating and Establishing of a highway Commencing
"and running as follow to wit Commencing at the South west
"corner of the north West quarter of Section twenty four of Franklin
Ordered June 10. 1861 "Township County and State aforesaid thence running South on the
"Section line through lands owned by Josiah Neidich and Mr Dreher
"untill it strikes the State Road running East & West on the South
"line of Section 23 and 24 of said township. And also to vacate
"a road starting from the same point above set forth and running
"Southwesterly through Lands owned by Mr Dreher untill it strikes
"the State road above mentioned.
"And we respectfully ask your honorable body to grant a
"view in order to the Establishing of the above proposed highway
"and to the vacating of the Road above mentioned
"Franklin De Kalb Co Ind May 10th 1861"
And the Board grant the prayer of of the Petitions and appoint
John McCurdy William Emmerson & Andrew J. Casebeer viewers
on said proposed route for a road. To report at next Session

Ordered that S. C. Smith be allowed the sum of four
4488 and 49/100 Dollars for glass and stove pipe furnished for public
buildings as pr bill filed and properly Certified

Ordered that S. W. Widney be allowed . . : 37/100 Dollars
4437 for Stationary &c furnished Recorders Office as pr bill filed
and certified by S. W. Widney County Recorder.

A petition is presented asking for a change in the Jonesville
and Maumee State Road which is in words and figures as follows.
To the honorable Board of Commissioners of De Kalb County Indiana
The undersigned citizens, householders of freeholders residing in Concord
Township of said County would respectfully represent to your Hons
that the public interest would be advanced by making an alteration
or Change in the Jonesville & Maumee State Road as follows to wit
Commencing on the present survey Eighty rods north of Section corners
Ordered June 10. 1861 of Sections 2, 3, 10, & 11 Township 33 Range 14 Thence north on the section
line dividing Sections 2 & 3 aforesaid and Sections 34 & 35 in Township
34 Range 14 untill said line intersects the road running from Newville
to Auburn thence on said Jonesville & Maumee road intersects the road
The said proposed change will run through or border on Lands of
C. R. Widney Henry Hull Rudolph Sifer Wm M. Thomas & an unknown
owner with the above object in view the undersigned would pray
your honorable Board to appoint viewers and at as early a day
as practicable to require them to report upon said proposed change
and is in duty bound they will ever pray &c - Signed by S. D. Widney and
And the Board grant the prayer of the petitioners and appoint John Neice
John Wineland and John McBride to view said route for road

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A petition is now presented praying for a change of road in Jackson Township which is in words and figures as follows to wit To the Hon Board of Commissioners of De Kalb County Ind. The undersigned citizens of De Kalb County would humbly pray for a change in the road passing through the centre of Section Eight (8) in Jackson township in County and State aforesaid. Said Change to be as follows.

Commencing one fourth of a mile south of the Centre of Said Section Eight (8) thence northwardly on the west side of the Cranberry marsh (on the best ground nearest the marsh) and Northeastwardly until it strikes the road above mentioned. Said change will affect Lands owned by Frederick Snyder Isaac Cool Thomas Miller Jacob Snyder and C. Cool. For granting of which change we will ever pray.

Signed by Jacob Snyder & others.

The Board on due deliberation grant the prayer of the petitioners and appoint L. W. Ralston, J. N. Miller & Charles Stimely viewers on said proposed Change of Road To report at next Sepion.

Report of view of Private road in Concord Township in words an figures as follows, to wit

"We the viewers appointed to view said road did on the 30th "day of March 1861 proceed to view said road as follows to wit "Commencing at the quarter post on the Section line running north "and south between Section thirty three and thirty four in Township "33 Range 14 De Kalb County said quarter post being the Corner "of Lands owned John A. Chellis & Samel Spitler thence north on said "Section line through Land owned by Samuel Shirts and heirs of Thomas "Anderson to Spencerville an Scipio road a distance of fourteen rods "Twenty five feet wide being twelve feet and a half on each "side of the Section line as described in the Bond.

"We did view and mark out said road and we the viewers "report said road favorable and of public utility "Signed by "Jacob Dills William Henderson & David Butler viewers"

And the Board accept the foregoing report and it is Ordered that said road be established.

4442 Ordered that Jacob Dils be allowed the sum of two
4440 Dollars and Wm Henderson and David Butler Each the sum.
4441 " ~~David Butler~~ one dollar for services as viewers on the above road

A petition is now presented by divers Citizens of De Kalb County praying the vacation and location of a road in Jackson Township in said County which petition in these words and figures To the Hon Board of Commissioners of De Kalb County

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"The undersigned freeholders of said County humbly petition
"your honorable body to locate a road on the South line
"of the north west fractional quarter of Section seven Town-
Undersigned June 4th 1861 "ship thirty three North of Range thirteen East commencing
"at the South Township line and running East on said
"line about one hundred & thirty Eight rods to the Centre
"line (North and South) of said Section and to vacate so
"much of ~~said~~ the road that now runs across the South East
"corner of said fractional quarter Section. Said location
"and change to effect and touch the lands of Robert Work
"and Jane McClellan" And the said petition being accompanied
by a copy of Notice and sufficient affidavit, and the said Board
being satisfied that twelve of the petitioners are freeholders of said
County six of whom reside in the immediate vicinity of the
said proposed vacation and location thereupon appoint Wm H. Thomas
Henry Willis & Simmons Harding viewers on said vacation
and location.

4416 Ordered that Joe Ettinger be allowed the sum of two Dollars
for three Benches for Court house as per bill filed and
certified by Co Agent

4443 Ordered that J. D. Davis be allowed the sum of fifty
Cents for material furnished for use of Offices as per bill filed
and certified by R. B. Catlin Co Treas.

4462 & 2850 Ordered that the sum of fifty Dollars be and is hereby appro-
5027 & 8975 priated for the construction of bridges on twenty six mile Creek on the
road from Auburn to Newville to be expended under under the
supervision of Henry Tupelman

5867 Ordered that thirty Dollars be and is hereby appropriated
(3200) to aid in the construction of a bridge across Bear Creek on the
North & South road through the Centre of Jackson Township to be
expended under the supervision of Alexander Provines

Notice issued Ordered that the voters of Richland Township be and hereby are empowered
to Elect a third justice of the Peace

1895 Ordered that Parks & Son be allowed the sum of Two & 13/100 Dollars
furniture & clothing furnished prisoner as per bill filed and certified
by County Agent

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4375 Ordered that W. Park & Son be allowed the sum of three Dollars & fifty cents ($3.50) for goods furnished County Poor as per bill filed and certified by Superintendent

4374 Ordered that J. C. Loveland be allowed the sum of one & 75/100 Dollars for printing done for Auditors Office as per bill filed and certified by Auditor

4444 Ordered that Hugh Shreve be allowed the sum of one Dollar & 87 cents for wood furnished Auditors Office as per filed and certified by Co. Agent

4445 Ordered that Thomas Baldock be allowed the sum of one & 25/100 for boarding Witness in case of State vs Lenon as per bill filed and certified by Sheriff

4446 Ordered that John Butt be allowed the sum of ninety cents for boarding Mahaffy a witness in Case of State vs Lennon as per bill filed and certified by Sheriff

4372 Ordered that M. F. Seely be allowed the sum fifty Dollars board and care of one Ellen Post an indigent person as per bill filed and certified by Trustee of Wilmington Township.

4393 Ordered that D. J. & J. T. Sheldon be allowed the sum of fifteen Dollars for medical attendance of one Ellen Post an indigent person as per bill filed and certified by Trustee of Wilmington township.

4447 Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of thirty Dollars for summoning three juries as per bill filed and Certified by Sheriff

4448 Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of two Dollars for blanks for use of Sheriff as per bill filed and certified by Sheriff

4449 Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of sixty three & 69/100 for committing & discharging prisoners boarding prisoners and furnishing necessaries & clothing &c. for prisoners as per bill filed and certified by Sheriff

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Adjourned till to morrow morning at 8 o'clock

D Borring
David Buchanan
Henry Engelbrand

Friday morning Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday.

The Board now take up the matter of selecting a School Examiner for the County for the three year ensuing and on mature deliberation.

Ordered that Rev Edward Wright be and is hereby appointed County School Examiner for De Kalb County for the term of three years from June 1. 1861 and till his succesor is chosen & qualified

Certificate issued

Ordered that Jr N. Chamberlain be and is hereby appointed County Physician for the ensueing year.

Issued June 11. 4454

Ordered that ten Dollars is hereby appropriated to remove One Stanly B. Morgan an inmate of the County Asylum from the County to be expended under the supervision of Jr N. Chamberlain

The County Auditor now presents his annual Report of the receipts and Expenditures of the County for the preceeding year in words and figures as follows.

Auditors Office Auburn De Kalb Co Ind
June 1st 1861

To the Hon Board of Commissioners of De Kalb Co. Pursuant to Law I herewith submit my report of the receipts and Expenditures of the De Kalb County for the year Ending June 1st 1861

There was remaining in the Treasury at the close of the last financial year

of County revenue	$ 45 13 66
" " Since collected	11 132 06
Road Revenu in Treasury June 1st 1860	7 84
" " Collected during year	639 5 46
Special School in Treasury June 1. 1860	6475 87
" " Collected during year	
Township Revenue in Treasury June 1 1860	10 24
" " collected during year	1370 05
Redemption of Land	640 86
Municipal Tax	151 67
Surveyors Fees	62 10
Show Licensse amt in Treas June 1 1860	5 00
" " collected during year	25 00
Docketts Fees State Revenue	19 [illegible]

Liabilities. Orders issued during the year	
On account of Redemption of Land	57224
" " " Surveyors Fees	6211
" " " Special School	647552
" " " Road Revenue	639546
" " " Township "	137108
" " " Municipal "	14873
over drawn last year	35
" " " Agricultural Fund	3000
" " " Assessing Revenue	50750
" " " Expense of Criminals	27123
" " " " " Bridges	236802
" " " " " Pub. Buildings	11348
" " " " " Poor	149814
" " " " " County Officers Salaries	221955
" " " " " Roads & Highways	18235
" " " " " Specific	152758
" " " " " Stationary	48678
" " " " " Illegal Tax	19402
" " " " " Elections	9041
" " " " " Interest on County Orders	9835
" " " " " Judges Salary	34437
" " " " " Jurors Fees	75179
" " " " " Insane	21853
" " " " " Courts	36817
" " " " " Printing	9435
" " " " Orders Outstanding June 1, 1860	94554
Total Liabilities	2734709

County Fund (Liabilities)	
Orders issued since June 1st 1860	
On account of Assessing Revenue	50950
" " " Expense of Criminals	27023
" " " " " Bridges	236802
" " " " " Pub- Buildings	11348
" " " " " Poor	149814
" " " " " County Officers Salaries	221955
" " " " " Highways	18235
" " " " " Specific Allowance	152758
" " " " " Stationary	48678
" " " " " Illegal Taxes	19402
" " " " " Elections	9041
" " " " " Interest on Co- Orders	8935
" " " " " Judges Salary	84437

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Expense of jurors fees	$ 751 77
" " Insane	218 53
" " Courts	368 17
" " Printing	94 35
Total amount issued during year	1132 02
Add amount outstanding June 1. 1860	945 54
Leaves total amount of Liabilities	1277 16
Deduct Orders redeemed	1177 20
Leaves orders outstanding	494 96
Deduct Orders outstanding from amount in Treasury	3868 52
" Leaves a net surplus in Treasury	3373 56

County Revenue Receipts

Amount in Treasury June 1 1860	4513 66
" Collected during year	11132 06
Total receipts	15645 72
Deduct Orders redeemed	11777 20
Leaves amount in Treasury June 1. 1861	3868 52

Special School Fund

Amount in Treasury June 1. 1860	4 75
" Collected during the year	647 37
Total	648 12
Amount of Orders redeemed	647 52
Balance in Treasury June 1. 1861	4 60

Road Revenue

Amount in Treasury June 1. 1860	7 84
" Collected during year	639 46
Leaves subject to order	647 30
Amount Orders redeemed	639 46
Balance in Treasury June 1. 1861	7 84

Township Revenue

Amount in Treasury June 1. 1860	10 24
" Collected during year	1370 08
" Subject to Order	1380 32
" Orders redeemed	1370 08
" Balance in Treasury June 1 1861	10 24

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Municipal Fund (Auburn)	
Amount collected during the year	151 69
" Orders redeemed	148 73
" balance in Treasury	2 96
Deduct amount overdrawn last year	35
Leaves Balance	2 61
Surveyors Fees	
Amount collected during the year	62 10
" Orders redeemed	62 10
" balance	00 00
Agricultural Fund	
Amount in Treasury June 1. 1861	5 00
" collected during year	25 00
Total	30 00
Amount of Orders redeemed	30 00
balance	0000
Redemption of Land	
Amount in Treasury June 1. 1860	50 36
" collected during year	640 36
" subject to order	690 72
" Orders redeemed	642 60
balance	48 12

A. J. Hunt Aud- De Kalb Co-

School report of Co Auditor.

Auditors Office Auburn June 4. 1861

To the Hon- Board of Commissioners De Kalb County.

The undersigned Auditor of said County submits the following report relative to the operations of the several School funds of said County for the year Ending June 1. 1861.

Receipts of Interest.

There has been recieved during the year and paid over to State Treasurer	$ 1075 71
of this amount- there was derived from interest on	
Sinking Fund	537 53
Common School	388 43
Liquor License	150 00
Total	$ 1075 71

Of interest on Congressional Fund there was received up to March dividend $ 113 87 3

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On account of which Orders have been issued to the several Townships as follows

To Butler	$ 176 43	Union	$ 103 81
" Jackson	63 78	Richland	61 35
" Concord	148 37	Fairfield	123 37
" Newville	51 30	Smithfield	135 31
" Stafford	41 56	Franklin	127 84
" Wilmington	65 79	Troy	47 12
		Total	1138 73

There has been collected since March Session

of Common School Interest	$ 5 46
" Congressional "	43 37
Total	48 83

Principal Account

Sinking Fund in Treasury June 1. 1860	205 31
" " Collected during the year	893 60
Total	1098 91
Amount of Order issued during year	1093 60
" " balance in Treasury June 1. 1861	5 31

Congressional & Common Principal

Amount in Treasury June 1. 1860	102 89
" Collected during the year	2802 88
" Total	2905 77
" Orders issued during the year	2810 07
" in Treasury June 1. 1861	95 70

Total Balance of School Fund in Treasury June 1. 1861 101 01

All of which is respectfully Submitted
A. J. Hunt Auditor Dekalb Co.

4417 Ordered that Joseph Ettinger be allowed the sum of Eight Dollars for making Coffin for pauper as per bill filed and certified by Co. Superintendent of Co. poor

4418 Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of Seven Dollars for services as County Agent as per bill filed and certified by County Agent

4419 Ordered that T. B. Dickinson be allowed the sum of two 50/100 Dollars for printing for Treasurer as per bill filed and certified by Co. Com.

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4379 Ordered that Charles Stinely be allowed the sum of twenty five Dollars for making lock for Jail door as per bill and certified by Sheriff of County

4413 Ordered that R. B. Catlin be allowed the sum of one hundred and twenty seven Dollars & sixty seven cents as per bill filed and certified by C. Treas this ~~bill~~ is for services journalaizing Orders &c.

4391 Ordered that Jacob Link be allowed the sum of fifty cents for services laboring on poor farm as per bill filed and certified by Co. Superintendent

4401 Ordered that J. D. Davis be allowed the sum of One hundred and sixty seven Dollars & twelve cents for repairs on Jail as per bill filed and certified by County Agent

4400 Ordered that Leander Weldin be allowed the sum of 30 Dollars and 25/100 for repairs on Jail as per bill filed & certified by County Agent

4420 Ordered that Sheets & Braden be allowed the sum of sixty four Dollars and seventy five cents for Stationary furnished County as per bill filed and certified by County Officers

Treasurers Report for 1860

I would ~~also~~ submit the following report of Receipts and Expenditures of DeKalb County for the year ending May the 31st A. D. 1861 There was remaining in the Treasury at the close of the

last fiscal year	$ 459150
on account of County Revenue	1113206
" " " Township "	137008
" " " Road "	689546
" " " Special School "	647537
" " " Municipal	15169
" " " Surveyors Fees	6210
" " " Redemption of Land	64036
" " " Agricultural	2500
" " " State Tax	1900
Total amount received for the year	3086262

Expenditures Orders redeemed

County	1177730
Township	137008

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Continued	Road orders Redeemed	$ 6395.46
from last page	Special School "	647.52
	Municipal "	148.73
	Surveyors Fees "	62.10
	Redemption of Land "	642.60
	Agricultural "	30.00
		2690.69
	Total Amount of Revenue for 1860	3086.62
	" " " Orders redeemed	2690.69
	" " " in Treasury June 1861	396.93
	Total amount of County revenue	1564.72
	" " " Orders redeemed	1177.20
	Balance in Treasury	386.52
	Township Revenue	1380.32
	Orders redeemed	1370.08
	Balance in Treasury	10.24
	Road Revenue	641.30
	Orders Redeemed	139.46
	Balance in Treasury	7.84
	Special School	648.12
	Orders redeemed	647.52
	Balance in Treasury	4.60
	Municipal	151.69
	Orders Redeemed	149.08
	Balance in Treasury	2.61
	Surveyors Fees	62.10
	Orders redeemed	62.10
	Balance	0.00
	Redemption of Land	690.72
	Orders Redeemed	642.60
	Balance	48.12
	Agricultural	30.00
	Orders Redeemed	30.00
	Balance	0.00

All of which is respectfully submitted by

R. B. Cathcart Treas
Co. of C.

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Recapitulation

Balance on County Revenue	38685
" " Township "	1024
" " Road	784
" " Special School	460
" " Municipal	261
" " Redemption of Land	4812
" " State Funds	1700
	391078

R. B. Martin Treas. & Rail

Report for 1860

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners. The undersigned Treasurer of De Kalb County would respectfully submit the following report in relation to the Congressional and Common School Funds of said County There has been collected during the year ending May 31st 1861.

Of Congressional Interest to date of distribution				113873
Of this fund there has been Paid to Townships				
as follows- Butler	176	43	Union	10331
Jackson	63	78	Richland	6135
Concord	148	37	Fairfield	12337
Newville	51	80	Smithfield	13581
Stafford	41	56	Franklin	12104
Wilmington	65	79	Troy	4712
Total amount distributed				113873
Congressional interest collected since distribution				4337
Common " " " "				546
Total amount				4883

Sinking Fund Principal

Balance in Treasury June 1st 1860	20531
Collected up to June 1st 1861	89360
Total amount for the 1860	109891
Total amount of orders Paid	109360
Balance in Treasury June 1. 1861	531

Common & Congressional Principal	10289
Collected during the year	280288
Total amount for the year 1860	290577
" " of orders Paid	281007
" " Balance in Treasury June 1st 1861	9570

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Ordered that Morris & Dills be allowed the sum of 7 & 50/100
4402 Dollars as a retaining fee in three State Cases as per bill filed and certified by Sheriff

Ordered that W. H. Dills be allowed the sum of 7 & 50/100
4403 Dollars for services prosecuting three cases on behalf of the State as per bill filed and certified by Sheriff

Ordered that John Ralston be allowed the sum of thirty seven
4421 Dollars and fifty cents as per contract on file

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of fifty Eight
4422 93/100 Dollars Expenses in arresting George & Stephen Lenon as per bill filed and certified by Sheriff

Ordered that the taxes for County purposes levied for the financial year 1861 be forty cents on each one hundred Dollars valuation of the taxable property of the County as returned by the several township Assessors.

Ordered that James N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of
4423 twenty Eight & 30/100 Dollars for services as County Physician as per bill filed by J. N. Chamberlain.

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed the sum of thirteen
4426 Dollars & five cents for cash advanced for travelling expenses to Indianapolis, oil freight &c as per bill filed and certified by Co. Aud.

4450 Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed the sum of fifty seven Dollars & twenty two cents for services as Auditor as per bill filed & certified by Auditor.

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed the sum of four
4451 Dollars services as Aud. as per bill filed an certified by Co Auditor

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed the sum of One hundred
4491 & Eighty six Dollars and twenty cents for making Delinquent Lists and Settlement Sheet 1861 as per bill filed and certified by Auditor

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed fifty seven Dollars
4492 and forty three cents for services managing School fund as per bill filed and certified by Co. Auditor

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A petition is now presented to the Board praying for a road in Union township which is in words and figures as follows

To the Commissioners of De Kalb County State of Indiana

The undersigned your petitioners would respectfully represent ~~that~~ to your Hon. body that public convenience & necessity requires that a public Highway be located in Union Township commencing at the west line of the Town of Waterloo where Van Bleek Street intersects in said Union Township on the north side of the M. & N. R. R. & adjoining the R. R. ground and running in a westerly direction on the north side of said R. R. and parallell with said R. R. until it intersects the road on section line between Sections 5 & 6 in said Township. Your petitioners would further represent that the notice required by law have been posted up in three public places in said T. P. thirty days before the meeting of your Body Your Petitioners therefore ask that our prayer be granted and such highway be located.

Granted June 10.

And on due Consideration the Board grant the prayer of the petitioners and and appoint Abraham McCoy Edward H Taylor & Isaac Jackman said viewers to to view the rout for a road asked for in the foregoing Petition

4390 Ordered that A. Provines David Buchanan & Henry
4394 Fuhrman be allowed the sum of fifteen Dollars each for
4396 services as Commissioners at the present Sessin.

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of
4452 ten Dollars for services as Sheriff at the present Sessin

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed the sum of fourteen
4453 Dollars and forty nine cents for services as Auditor at the present Session

Adjourned

A Provines
David Buchanan
Henry Fuhrman

September Session 1861 First day

Monday morning September second 1861

The Board of Commissioners of De Kalb County Ind met pursuant to Law Present Alexander Provines David Buchanan and Henry Tuttleman Commissioners A.S. Hunt Auditor and J. N. Chamberlain Sheriff.

"A Petition from Smithfield Township praying for a road view which is in words and figures as follows.

"To the Honorable Commissioners of De Kalb County Indiana Gentlemen we the undersigned freehold ~~Citizens~~ Petitioners of Smithfield Township in De Kalb County pray your honorable body to appoint Viewers to view and report the utility of a road in said Township as follows Viz Beginning at the County line and at the corner of section one (1) and two (2) from thence South on said section line to the section line running ~~South~~ East and west between one (1) and two (2) Eleven (11) and Twelve (12) and there to terminate, Running on the Lands of Moses Barton Daniel Salander, William Craig, Joseph Craig Joel Nivins and Jonathan Mills. And your petitioners will ever pray."

Signed by Joseph Craig Joel D. Nevins Williams Craig and others

Sufficient evidence being placed before the Board of the posting up of the proper Notices according to Law the Board grant the prayer of the Petitioners and

Ordered that Robert Lockhart Jeremiah Hemstreet and Aaron B. Smith be appointed Viewers on said road for a road as described in the foregoing Petition. Order issued Sept 7. 1861

Report of Road view in Franklin Township. In words and figures as follows.

We the Viewers appointed to view said Road did on the second day of August 1861 proceed to view and Locate said Road as follows to wit Commencing at the south west corner of the North West quarter of Section twenty four of Franklin Township De Kalb County Ind. thence running south on the Section line through Land owned by Josiah Neidick and Mr. Dickey until it strikes the state road running East and West on the south line of Section 23 & 24 of said Township. And we also locate a road starting from the same point above set forth and running South East through Land owned by Mr Dickey until it strikes the State Road above mentioned, Said Road to be forty feet in width. as described in the Order We John McCurdy A.S. Casebeer & W.R. Emerson did view and mark out said road and we the Viewers Report said road favorable and of public utility

John McCurdy A.S. Casebeer W.R. Emerson Viewers

September Term 1861 First day

Ordered to Order Ordered that the road described in the foregoing Report
Establish Sep 11-1861 be Established and an Order be ipsued for its being opened
and kept in repair.

500 Ordered that John McCurdy and A. L. Casebeer be
5005 each allowed the sum of one Dollar and W. R. Emerson one
504 Dollar and fifty cents for services as Viewers of the foregoing
described road.

Report of Road view in Troy Township 1861.

We the Viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 22nd day of June 1861 proceed to view and Locate said Road as follows to wit. To commence at the N. E. corner of Sec thirty (30) Troy Township running West forty one (41) rods thence due north till it intersects the Fish Creek Road.

We consider the ground favorable on said rout and we establish said road forty feet wide. We also vacate the old Fish Creek road south to said S. E. Cor of said Sec 30.

Signed David McDannel J. J. Grincinhouse Joseph Brown Viewers

Order ipsued Sep 11 1861 Ordered that the road described in the foregoing Report be Established and an Order be ipsued for its being opened and kept in repair. And the Old Fish Creek road as above be vacated.

5005 Ordered that David McDannel J. J. Grincinhouse and Joseph
5006 Brown be each allowed the sum of one Dollar Each for services
5007 as Viewers on the foregoing described road also J. J. Inshoff
5024 twenty five cents for administering the oath to said viewers.

Report of a Road view on line of Concord and Jackson Township

We the Viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 21st day of June 1861 proceed to view said Road as follows to wit Commencing at the south East corner of Section twenty five (25) of Jackson Township thence north to the south East corner of Section one (1) of said Jackson Township. And the undersigned Viewers think that said Road would be of public utility and further that the above named Road should be forty (40) feet wide

J. B. Goldsmith C. P. Coleman J. M. Weeks Viewers

Order ipsued Sep 11 1861 Ordered that the road described in the foregoing Report be Established and an Order be ipsued for its being opened and kept in repair. Width forty feet, twenty in each Township.

5008 Ordered that C. P. Coleman and James Weeks be each allowed
5009 the sum of one Dollar and J. B. Goldsmith one Dollar and fifty
5010 cents for services as Viewers on the foregoing described road

George Buchanan now presents his Bond as Deputy County Surveyor appointed by Marcus Buchanan County Surveyor now in the Military Service of the United States which on due consideration is approved by the Board.

September Session 1861 First day

Report of Road views in Richland Township in words and figures as follows. "Richland Buckeil

We the viewers appointed to view said Road did on the twenty second day of June 1861 proceed to view and mark and locate said Road as follows to wit. Commencing at the quarter post on the north side of Section No Twenty two (22) in Richland township. Thence east on the Section line between Sections Twenty two (22) and fifteen to the north east corner of said Section Twenty two said road to be twenty five feet wide. as described in the order, We Henry Willis James McCague & Heman Bangs did view and mark out said route and we the viewers report said Road favorable and of genral public utility. of the width of twenty five feet.

Signed Henry Willis James McCague and Heman Bangs Viewers

Ordered Ordered that the road described in the foregoing report
Sep-11-1861 be established and an order be ipsued for the bein opened
and kept in repair of the width of twenty five feet.

5011 Ordered that Henry Willis be allowed the sum of one
5012 Dollar and fifty cents and James McCague and Heman Bangs
5013 each one Dollar for services viewing said road described above.

The Viewers appointed to view a rout for a road through the lands of Horatio Blake Joseph Kilpatrick and M. [illegible] in Richland Township report said rout unfavorable and of no public utility. Signed by Jacob Bragg and H. A. Shull, Viewers

6302 Ordered that Henry Shull Jacob Bragg and Isaac
6303 Kutzner be each allowed the sum of one Dollar for services on
6304 viewing the above described rout for a road.

The Viewers appointed to view the rout for a road described in the Order as Commencing one fourth of a mile South of the centre of Section 8 in Jackson Township thence — on the West Side of the Cranberry marsh &c Report said road unfavorable and of No Public utility Signed S. M. Ralston Charles Stively J. N. Miller

5014 Ordered that S. M. Ralston John N. Miller and Charles Stively
5015 be each allowed the sums of one Dollar for services viewing the rout
5016 described above.

The Viewers appointed to view a rout for a road in Jackson Township and also to vacate a portion of the istated road in said Township that crosses the South east corner of the North west quarter of Section Seven &c as described in the Viewers report said road unfavorable and not of public utility

Signed Henry Willis and Dimmick Harding Viewers

5017 Ordered that Henry Willis and Dimick Harding be each allowed
5018 the sum of One Dollar for services viewing said road described above.

September Session First day

Report of a road view in Waterloo in words and figures as follows "Waterloo June 22nd 1861

We the viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 22nd day of June 1861 proceed to view the road mentioned in Order No 1 described as follows to wit: Commencing at the south end of Washington Street (as laid out in the Plat of Waterloo) then running north along said Washington Street across lands owned by John B. Frothingham & Co - to Union Street thence north across Union Street ~~thence north~~ Two chains and fifty one links to the south line of Lands owned by Shaygon Pokrabaugh and the North line of the Town Plat of Waterloo thence East two chains to the old road now in use from Unionstown to Waterloo thence along said Coldwater & Ft Wayne road between Unionstown & Waterloo till it strikes the New Bridge over Cedar Creek. said road to be sixty feet wide We did view and mark said road and we the viewers report said Road favorable and of public utility.

Signed "Abraham McCoy E. H. Taylor and Isaac Jackman, Viewers

Report of road view in Waterloo, in words and figures as follows. June 22nd 1861

We the viewers appointed to view said road did on the Twenty second day of June 1861 proceed to view said the road mentioned in said Order as follows to wit Commencing at the south line of Town Plat of Waterloo where Wayne Street in said Town connects with said line thence in a northerly direction to the north line of said Town plat thence North 22½ degrees East 21 5/100 Chains to the termination making said road of the width of Sixty feet as described in the Order We Abraham McCoy E. H. Taylor & Isaac Jackman did view and mark out said road and we the viewers report said Road favorable and of public utility

Signed by Abraham McCoy E. H. Taylor and Isaac Jackman

Report of a Road View in Waterloo in word and figures as follows "Waterloo June 22nd 1861.

We the viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 22nd day of June 1861 proceed to view the road mentioned in Order No 3 said Road as follows to wit: Commencing on Wayne Street in Waterloo where Van Vleck Street intersects said Wayne Street and running directly West with said Van Vleck Street to the road north and south on the section line between Sections three and four in Union Township being a distance of one fourth mile said Street to be sixty feet wide measuring from the north side of the grounds of the M. S. & N. I. R. R. Company along which grounds it runs the whole length is of the same and crosses Land

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of John B. Fosthingham as described in the Order We Abraim McCoy E.H. Taylor & Isaac Jackman did view and mark out said rout and we the viewers report said Road favorable and of Great public utility

Signed Abraham McCoy E.H. Taylor & Isaac Jackman Viewers

Ordered signed Sep 11-1861 Ordered that the three foregoing reports be accepted and the roads therein described be Established and Ord be ipsued for opening and Keeping them in repair

Report of road view in Union township near Waterloo in words and figures as follows "Waterloo June 22nd 1861 We the viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 22nd day of June 1861 proceed to view the road mentioned in Order No. 5 said Road as follows to wit xxxxxx as described in the order. We Abram McCoy E.H. Taylor and Isaac Jackman did view said rout and we the viewers report said Road not favorable and not of public utility Signed by Abraham McCoy E.H. Taylor & Isaac Jackman Viewers

Fee 1.00 / 50 20 / 5 21 Ordered that Isaac Jackman Abraham McCoy and E.H. Taylor be Each allowed the sum of two Dollars for Services viewing four roads in Waterloo

A certified copy of a petition to the Commissioners of Steuben County from the Auditor of said Steuben Co was now presented to the board which was in words and figures as follows to wit "To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of ~~De K~~ Steuben County and the State of Indiana. We the undersigned freeholders of said County pray your honorable Board to grant a view and establish a public highway forty feet wide commencing on the County line at the south west corner of Section thirty one (31) in township thirty six (36) north of Range fifteen (15) East thence East on said County line to the south East corner of Section thirty two (32) township and range as aforesaid. Said highway two miles long and running on the south line of Section (31) and (32) in the aforesaid township. And on the north line of Section six (6) and five in township thirty five (35) North of Range fifteen East. And running on Land owned by John Chandler Samuel Martin James W. Scoville and others.

Whereupon the Board appointed Lewis W Hoag Comanissioner to Examine said proposed highway (On the first Monday of October 1861) Together with the Commissioner who shall have been appointed by the board of De Kalb Co.

Certificate sent 7 part of DeKalb County 1861 Ordered that be Timothy McClure be appointed on the part of DeKalb County as viewer on the foregoing described road for a road to act in conjunction with the viewer from Steuben County

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Petition for Road view in Jackson Township in words and figures as follows "To the Hon Board of Commpsioners of De Kalb County Indiana

The undersigned citizens of Jackson Township would humbly represent that they would be greatly benefited by the location of a road on the following lines. Commencing Sixty Rods West of the North east corner of Section Eighteen (18) in Township thirty three (33) North of Range No thirteen (13) East in said County, thence east on the section line Sixty rods, thence north on the section line between Sections seven and Eight (8) until the line strikes the Bluff Bank of Cedar Creek thence Northwardly on said Bluff Bank to the section line between Sections Five & Eight thence East to the South East corner of the south west quarter of Section five and there terminate and we would further ask for the vacation of the road that now runs diagonally through Sections Eight, five and seven as shown by plat. We pray your honorable body to appoint viewers to view said proposed route, This Road will pass through or touch upon Lands owned by John Grove, Isaac Cool, A. Hartell, J. Spunge, C. Ford, Jacob Shyans, John Cool, A D. Goetschius William Carr and C. Cool. For the granting of which the above petition we will ever pray.

And the Board grant the prayer of the Petitioners

Ordered that William R. Moore Isaac Culbertson and Israel Shearer be and are hereby appointed viewers on said above described route for a road also the vacation prayed for.

Ordered Sept 10th 1861

Ordered that Edward Wright be allowed the sum of three Dollars and twenty five cents ($3.25) expenses incurred on account of Timothy Murry dec- a panter as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Richland Township

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Ordered that Simon Shaffer be allowed Six Dollars ($6.00) for making Coffin for Timothy Murry pauper as per bill of file and certified by Trustee of Richland Township.

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Ordered that Dennis Ryan be allowed the sum of Eight Dollars and ninety nine cents ($8.99) for boarding care &c of Timothy Murry Dec- a pauper as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Richland Township.

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Ordered that S. W. Ralston be allowed twenty one Dollars and fifty Eight cents for goods furnished County Asylum as per bill on file and certified by J. Maxwell Superintendent.

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Ordered that W. Park & Son be allowed four Dollars and fifty six cents ($4.56) for goods furnished Co- Asylum as per bill on file and certified Co Superintendent.

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Ordered that John Butt be allowed sixty cents
4486 (60c) for whiskey furnished for use of County Poor (Medical) as
per bill on file and certified by Co-Superintendant.

Ordered that John N. Miller be allowed thirty Dollars
and ninety two cents ($30.92) for boarding and clothing Aaron
4487 Walden a County charge as per bill on file and certified
by said John N Miller.

And the Board adjourned to meet to morrow morning.

A Provines
David Buchanan
Henry Fuselman

September Sepron 1861 Second day

Tuesday morning Sep- 3rd 1861 Board met pursuant
to adjournment Present the same as yesterday.

Ordered that John Melton be allowed the sum of Eighty
4463 five Dollars ($85.00) for repairs &c on Bridge across the
St Joseph River at Spencerville as per bill on file and
certified by Henry Fuselman.

Ordered that S. N. Bartlett be allowed Sixty Dollars
4488 ($60.00) for building Bridge across twenty six mile Creek
as per bill on file and certified by Henry Fuselman.

Ordered that Hiram W. Hatch be allowed forty three Dollars
4489 and fifty cents for building Bridge across twenty Six mile Creek
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5178 as per bill on file and certified by Henry Fuselman.

Ordered that ~~that~~ the sum of one hundred and twenty
5180 Dollars ($120.00) be and is hereby appropriated for the construction
of a Bridge across Fish Creek at Keplers Mill in Troy township
under the superintendence of D. Buchanan.

Ordered that the sum of fifty Dollars be and is hereby
5190 appropriated for the construction of a bridge across the West branch
of Cedar creek on the land of W.D. Davis in Butter township.
A. Provines Superintendent.

Ordered that the sum of Sixty Dollars be appropriated
116 for the construction of a bridge across Cedar Creek. (West Branch)
Com
June 24 1862 on the road South of the Centre of Butler township near R. Wells
A Provines Superintendent.

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Ordered that Henry Fupelman be allowed the sum
4464 of twenty five Dollars and twenty nine cents ($25,29) for labor
and material furnished for the repair of Bridge at
Newville as per bill on file and certified by Henry
Fupelman.

Ordered that the sum of twenty five Dollars be and
5977 is hereby appropriated for the construction of a bridge across
Buck Creek in Stafford Township on the Auburn and Defiance
road. Henry Fupelman Superintendent.

Ordered that Henry Fupelman be allowed the sum
4465 of four Dollars forty cents ($4,40) for goods furnished Mrs Mahaffy an
Franks girl, indigent persons as per bill on file and
certified by Trustee of Concord.

Ordered that J. F. Hallen be allowed the sum of twenty
Dollars ($20,00) for taking care of Jacob Burr in his
4469 sickness as per bill on file and certified by the Trustee
of Carlisle Township. The foregoing Warrant has been Returned March 8, 1864 by Jno. Hallman Asst. Cashier Co. Bank

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed the sum of one
hundred & twelve dollars & eighty nine cents ($112,89) for services
4491 as Auditor making out Road Lists for 1861 as per bill on file
and certified by Auditor.

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed the sum of thirty
eight dollars and seventy four cents ($38,74) for services as County
4490 Auditor as per bill filed and certified by Co. Auditor.

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of
seventeen Dollars and twenty five cents for services as County
4492 Physician medical attendance of Poor as per bill on file and
certified by County Physician.

Ordered that Dr. W. D. Myers be allowed the sum of five
4493 and fifty cents ($5,50) medical attendance of Frederick Weaver
an indigent person as per bill filed and certified by
Trustee of Union Township.

Ordered that J. M. Minnich be allowed the sum of
4494 twelve Dollars and forty two cents ($12,42) for groceries furnished
Frederick Weaver an indigent person as per bill on file and
certified by Trustee of Union Township.

Ordered that Henry Fupelman be allowed the sum
4466 of four dollars ($4,00) superintending building and repairing
of Bridges as per bill filed and certified by H. Fupelman.

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed eight Dollars
4495 and seventy cents Extra Compensation as Sheriff for ending
Sep 2nd 1861 as per bill on file and certified by Sheriff on Oath.

Ordered that James N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum
4496 of ten Dollars ($10,00) Summoning jury Sep Term Com. Pleas Cons-

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as per bill on file and certified by Sheriff.

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum
4497 of fifteen Dollars and sixty cents for services as Sheriff
serving Road Notices as per bill filed and certified by Sheriff

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum
4498 Eleven Dollars and twenty cents ($11.20) for admitting and Dieting
prisoners and boarding Prisoners as per bill on file
and certified by Sheriff.

A Petition for a road in Richland township is now
presented to the Board which is in words and figures as
follows. "To the board of Commissioners of De Kalb County State of
"Indiana. We the undersigned resident freeholders of the County
"of De Kalb would respectfully petition your honorable Board
"to appoint viewers to locate a road or highway in the township
"of Richland Commencing twenty three (23) rods East of the North west
"corner of the North East quarter of Section seven (7) thence south
"forty four rods, thence East until it comes within forty one (41) rods
"of the west line of said North East quarter of Section seven (7). thence
"South until it intersects the State road leading from Auburn
"in De Kalb County to Lisbon in Noble County, (And in running
"South we would respectfully pray that the road be run as nearly
"parallell with the west lines of the above described land as practicable)
"Said highway to be thirty feet in width. Said route passes
"through lands owned by Michael Kline Joseph Kirkpatrick and
"Horatio Blake." Signed by Joseph Kirkpatrick and many
others." On the back of said Petition is an Endorsement in
words as follows, "I the undersigned do agree with the Petitioners
"to make the within road through my own land free of all charge.
"Joseph Kirkpatrick."

And the Board being satisfied that legal notice had been
Ordered June given of the pendancy of the said Petition appoint John D.
Sept 10th 1861 Litton William Grube and Christian Sheets to view said
route for a road.

A Petition for Road in Richland is presented which
is in words and figures as follows.

To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of the Board of
the Board of the County of De Kalb in the State of Indiana.

The undersigned citizens of said De Kalb County being in the
vicinity of the following proposed highway humbly petition said
Board of Commissioners for the location and laying out of a
highway in said County described as follows to wit. —
Commencing at the quarter post in the middle of the South
line of Section nineteen in Township (34) north of range twelve
East in said County and running thence north on the
on the quarter line of said section to the quarter post on the south line of Section Expiation
in said Township thence north through

the centre of said Section Eighteen to the quarter post on the south line of Section seven in said township thence north through the centre of Section seven to the quarter post on the north side of said Section seven or as near on said line as a good highway can be made of the width of thirty feet for which your petitioners shall ever pray. Signed by A. J. Hunt & Smally and others

And the Board being satisfied that Legal notice had been given of the pendancy of said Petition, appoint John A Dilman William Snider and Christian Sheets viewers on said route for a road.

Ordered that R. B. Cattin be allowed the sum of
4499 five Dollars and seventy five cents for cash advanced, for Express Charges &c as per bill filed and certified by Co- Treasurer

Ordered that R. B. Cattin be allowed the sum of two Dollars and fifty cents for one Ream of letter paper
5000 purchased for use of Office as per bill on file and certified by Co- Treasurer-

Ordered that R. B. Cattin be allowed the sum of one hundred and seventy nine Dollars and thirty seven cents
5001 for services distributing School funds &c- as per bill on file and certified by Co- Treasurer-

Ordered that Joseph Maxwell be allowed the sum of two hundred and seven Dollars and seventy five cents for boarding
4458 paupers and Cabin on Poor Farm as per bill filed and certified by Joseph Maxwell Superintendent of Poor Farm-

Adjourned to meet to morrow morning

A Rowins

David Buchanan

Henry Zufelhar

Wednesday Morning September 4th 1861 Board met pursuant to adjournment Present the same as yesterday.

Ordered that Hiram Griswold be allowed the sum
4470 of four Dollars and eighty four cents ($4,84) for plank furnished for bridge across Cedar Creek on Auburn & Spencerville road as per bill on file and certified by Lyman Chidsey Superintendent

Ordered that Drs. Farrington & Lyttle be allowed the sum
4471 of ten Dollars for medical attendance of Timothy Murry a pauper as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Richland

Ordered that Dr. Hartshorn be allowed the sum of fifteen
4468 Dollars ($15,00) for medical attendance of Jacob Barr a pauper person as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Fairfield

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Ordered that C. H. Dickinson Esq be allowed the
4472 sum of fifteen Dollars ($15.00) for services depending to
Case in DeKalb Cir Court to wit John Halston vs DeKalb Co
& J. W. Halston vs DeKalb County as per bill on file and
certified by said Dickinson.

Ordered that W. D. Myers be allowed the sum of
4473 two Dollars for surveying roads in Waterloo as per bill
on file and certified by viewers of said roads.

Ordered that J. M. Case be allowed the sum of twelve
Dollars and seventy five cents for Stationary furnished
4474 County Recorder & Auditor for use of Offices as per bill on file
and certified by Auditor & Recorder.

Report of a Road in Concord & Wilmington in word
and figures as follows June 22nd 1861
We the viewers appointed to view said road did on the
22nd day of June 1861 proceed to view said road as follows
to wit Commencing on the present survey Eighty rods North
of the corner
of the Sections 2. 3. 10. & 11 Township 33. Range 14 thence north on the
Sections line dividing Sections 2 & 3 aforesaid and section 34
& 35 in Township 34 Range 14 until said line intersects the road
leading from Newville to Auburn thence on said road to
where the present survey of the said Jonesville and Mannie
road intersects the same. And find the distance from the start-
ing point to the Newville & Auburn road about 7/8 of a mile
We also report said change favorable and lay the road
to the width of forty feet Signed by
John Meese John Wineland & John McBride
Ordered that the foregoing report be accepted and the road
Sep-11-1861 established and an Order be issued for its being opened and
kept in repair of the width of forty feet

4475 Ordered that John Meese ~~John Wineland~~ and John McBride
4476 be allowed the sum of one Dollar each and John Wineland
4461 the sum of one Dollar and fifty cents for services in viewing
5225 said road also that W. H. Matthews be allowed 25 cents for
swearing said viewers

In Open Session Louis Foltz now asks the board to grant
him a license to vend Spirituous liquors &c and there being
sufficient evidence on file that legal notice had been given
that the said Foltz would petition said Board for said
License and further that the said Foltz will meet all the require-
ments of the Laws on due consideration it was

Ordered that Louis Foltz be licensed to vend Spirituous Malt
and other Liquors under the provisions of an Act entitled
An Act to regulate and license the sale of spirituous liquors

malt and other intoxicating liquors to prohibit the adulteration
4444 of liquors to repeal all Law contravening the provisions of
this act and prescribing penalties for the violation of the
same Approved March 5th 1859.

Ordered that A. Provines, David Buchanan Henry Fupelman and J. N. Chamberlain be and are hereby appointed Spicial Agents to hear and determine on the claims for apistance of the families of such persons as may be in the Military Service of the United States. application may be made to either of the foregoing named Persons.

Ordered that Wm Sheets be allowed eight Dollars for Stationary
4477 furnished Co. Clerk as per bill on file and certified by Co. Clerk

Ordered that C. L. Dickinson be allowed the sum of twelve
5022 Dollars ($12.00) for printing done for County as per bill on file and certified by Auditor.

4459 Ordered that A. Provines Henry Fupelman and
4460 David Buchanan be each allowed the sum of nine
4469 Dollars ($9.00) for services as County Commissioners at the present Session

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed the sum of one hundred and twenty five Dollars for services in ~~part~~
4478 making Duplicates for 1861 in part as per bill on file and certified by Auditor.

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum
4477 of six Dollars ($6.00) for services as Sheriff at present Session.

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed eight
4480 Dollars and seventy cents ($8.70) for services as Auditor at present session as per bill on file and certified by Auditor

And the Board adjourned

A Provines
David Buchanan
Henry Fupelman

Auditor DeKalb Co
Jacob Weirick

Whereas Jacob Weirick assignee of Humphrey Wilcoat original holder of Certificate No 2 of Fairfield township has paid the full sum of one hundred and fifty Dollars for the East half of the North East quarter of Section sixteen (16) Township No Thirty five (35) North of Range twelve (12) East containing eighty acres more or less.

Now Know Ye. that in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the statute in such cases made and provided I Albert J. Hunt Auditor in and for the County of De Kalb and State of Indiana, in the name of the Inhabitants of Congressional Township No. Thirty five North of Range twelve East do give and grant to the said Jacob Weirick all the before described East half of the North East quarter of Section sixteen Township thirty five North of Range twelve East in De Kalb County and State of Indiana and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County this nineteenth day of October A.D. 1861

L. S.

A. J. Hunt
Auditor De Kalb Co

State of Indiana
De Kalb Co } Before me D. N. Widney Recorder in and for said Albert J. Hunt Auditor as above acknowledged the execution of the above Deed Witness my hand and Official seal October 19th 1861

L. S.

D. N. Widney Recorder
De Kalb County

October Special Sessions 1861

Tuesday Oct 29th 1861 The Board of Commissioners of De Kalb County met for the purpose of approving the bond of the County Treasurer Chosen at the October Election 1861

Present David Buchanan and John Brandon Commissioners and N.J. Hunt Auditor

George Searcy the person elected to the Office of County Treasurer presented his Official Bond which was approved and accepted by the Board

Ordered that David Buchanan and John Brandon be
5715 each allowed the sum of three Dollars for services as Commis-
5716 sioners at the Oct Special Session

Adjourned

David Buchanan.

John Brandon.

December Lepion A.D. 1861 1st day

Monday morning December 2nd 1861 The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County met pursuant to Law.
Present David Buchanan and John Brandon Commissioners, A.J. Hurst Auditor and Clerk of Board & J.N. Chamberlain Sheriff

Afternoon Lepion present as above als Henry Lapelman Commissioner.

Ordered that Joseph Ettinger be allowed eight Dollars for
5796 making Coffin for Jane Porter a county charge as per bill on file and certified by J. Maxwell Superintendent of Poor house.

Ordered that Culver Paye & Royne (Stationers Chicago) be allowed
5825 One hundred fourteen Dollars for Stationary furnished County Officers as per bills on file and certified by Clerk Sheriff and Auditor

Ordered that William Sheets be allowed thirty Dollars
5826 and seventy five cents for stationary furnished Co. Clerk as per bill on file and certified by County Clerk.

Ordered that W. Parkinson be allowed eight & seventy five
5827 cents ($8,75) for groceries furnished for use of paupers as per bill on file and certified by Co. Superintendent.

Ordered that C.P. Ward be allowed the sum of Eleven
5828 Dollars and Eighty eight ($11,88) for Shoes &C furnished families of Volunteer as per bill on file and certified by J.N. Chamberlain

Ordered that S.M. Ralston be allowed nine Dollars and thirteen
5823 cents for goods furnished County Poor as per bill on file and certified by Superintendent of Poor Asylum.

Ordered that S.M. Ralston be allowed ten Dollars for
5824 goods furnished families of Volunteers as per bill on file and certified by J.N. Chamberlain.

5829 Ordered that A. Provines be allowed fourteen Dollars
5830 for Services Superintending Bridges &C as per bill on file and certified by said Provines.

Ordered that A. Provines be allowed $9,85 cost paid
5831 by said Provines in Case of Jno Ralston vs DeKalb Co as per bill certified by said Ralston Clerk of Court

Ordered that J.N. Miller be allowed forty three Dollars
5832 ($43,00) for clothing and board of Abel Walden pauper as per bill on file and certified by said Miller

December Session 1861 1st day

Ordered that J. D. Davis be allowed one Dollar & ninety eight cents (1.98) for Lamp & oil furnished for
3233 Clerks Office as per bill on file and certified by Co. Clerk

Ordered that J. D. Davis be allowed ninety cents (.90) nails
3234 and glass furnished for Co. Asylum as per bill on file and certified by Superintendent of Co. Asylum

Ordered that the Eastern part of Wilmington Township be and is hereby created into a Precinct and the Village of Butler be selected as the place for holding Elections. And further that Daniel Eglin be and is hereby appointed Inspector of Elections in said precinct.

The viewers appointed to view a road in Richland Township commencing at the quarter post in the middle of Section nineteen in said Township thence North to the North side of Section seven in said township.. present their Report setting forth said road to be not of public utility Report accepted by the Board.

The viewers appointed to view a road in Jackson Township Report in words and figures as follows To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County Indiana.

We the undersigned citizens of DeKalb County and State aforesaid appointed at your September Session A. D. 1861 to view a rout for a road commencing sixty rods West of the North East corner of Section Eighteen (18) in Township No Thirty three (33) North of Range No Nine East in said county thence East on the section line Sixty (60) rods thence North on the section line between sections Seven (7) and Eight (8) until said section strikes the bluff Bank of Cedar Creek thence Northwardwardly ~~thence~~ on said Bluff Bank to the section line between sections Five (5) & Eight (8) thence East to the South East corner of the South West quarter of Section Five (5) and there terminate, after being duly sworn according to Law did on the fourteenth day of October A. D. 1861 proceed to view said rout and after mature deliberation deem it a rout of public utility and establish the same to be Thirty feet wide. We viewed the road running diagonally through through Sections Five (5) Seven (7) & Eight (8) in said township as ordered and find the same is Not of Public Utility and recomendation the vacation of the same. Witness our hands and seals this fourteenth day of October 1861 William R. Thomas (Seal)

Isaac C. Talbot (Seal)

Israel Thomas (Seal)

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Ordered that the foregoing Report be accepted and that further proceedings in the matt be laid over till the next Sepion in consequence of a Petition for damages on said rout claimed by A.P. Hartle and further ordered that Henry Shelest David Reaves and Jacob Grogg be appointed to view the rout for a road discribed in the foregoing ~~Petition~~ report and apis the damages if any which the location of said road may be to the premises of said A.P. Hartle, and report at the next Sepion of the Board.

Dec 9, 1861

5284 Ordered that Isaac C. Culbertson be allowed one Dollar
5285 & twenty five cents ($1.25) and Wm H. Rose and Israel Shreves
5286 each one dollar ($1.00) for services viewing road in Jackson Township as per report on file

David Buchanan
Henry Funkhouser
John Blandon

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Tuesday morning Dec 3rd 1861 Board met present the same as yesterday

Ordered that Caleb Pyle be allowed the sum of forty
15203 six Dollars & fifty cents ($46.50) for boarding and care of R. Churchill a county Pauper as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Troy Township. This allowance includes funeral expenses

A Petition is now presented to the Board asking for a Road view in Troy Township in words and figures as follows. "To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of De Kalb "County Indiana. We the undersigned citizens of Troy Township "County and State aforesaid would respectfully represent to your "honorable body that the interest of our neighborhood and the "travelling community would be enhanced by the establishing and locacating of a Public Highway running as "follows to Wit Commencing on the section line between "Sections Seventeen and twenty at the South West corner of "the South East quarter of Section Seventeen in township, County "and State aforesaid thence running East on said Section line "to the State line running through lands on the north owned "by William Brownell and Jacob Helsley and on the South "owned by Clement Rosenberg John Jennings an John Bi "and we ask your board to grant a view in locate and Es "the proposed highway." Signed D. McCollum and thirt

Ordered that John Helsley Dewitt McConnel

Wm Jno Wm Cole & Greenhouse be appointed viewers on the road
Jno Jno for a road described in the foregoing Petition to report at
the next meeting of the Board.

Ordered that ten Dollars ($10.00) be and is hereby appropriated to aid in the construction of a bridge at the corners of the Townships of Franklin Troy Trafford & Wilmington to be expended under the supervision of W. H. Emerson.

Ordered that C. T. Hare be allowed four Dollars and sixty
5105 three cents ($4.63) for board and shoes for paupers as per bill on file and certified by Superintendent

Ordered that Henry Tupelman be allowed seventeen
5795 dollars & sixty cents for goods &c furnished Mrs R Smith wife of Volunteer as per bill on file and certified by said Tupelman

Ordered that Henry Tupelman be allowed seven
5184 dollars and nine cents ($7.09) for goods furnished Mrs Luther Smith wife of Volunteer as per bill on file and certified by said Tupelman.

Ordered that Henry Tupelm be allowed the sum of
5795 four dollars & thirty six cents for goods furnished Mrs Thomas
$4.36 Wife of Volunteer as per bill on file and certified by said Tupelman.

Ordered that Henry Tupelman be allowed thirty
5786 one dollars & fifty nine cents ($1.59) for goods furnished Mrs Champ wife of Volunteer as per bill on file and certified by said Tupelman.

Ordered that Henry Tupelman be allowed twelve
5795 dollars & eighty nine cents ($12.89) for goods furnished Mrs Amanda Bragg wife of Volunteer as per bill on file and certified by said Tupelman.

Ordered that L. N. Bartlett be allowed twenty four Dollars
1... and thirty three cents for goods provisions &c furnished families
$ 24.33 of Volunteers as per bill on file and certified.

Ordered that Hadley and Colgrove be allowed fifty seven
5795 Dollars and forty one cents ($57.41) for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per bill on file and certified.

Ordered that Mrs Laura Moe be allowed six Dollars
5795 for Medicine and attendance on P. Smith wife of Volunteer as per bill on file and certified by Henry Tupelman.

Ordered that Lewis Grobert be allowed four Dollars
5796 and sixty seven cents ($4.67) for work done for Mrs Thomas Wife of Volunteer as per bill on file and certified by J. N. Chamberlain.

Ordered that Mc Bride be allowed the sum of fifty
5-09 cents ($.50) for hauling wood for Mrs Simmons Wife of
Volunteer as per bill of file and certified by J. N. Chamberlain
5.6855 Ordered that J. Cattell be allowed twenty one Dollars
$21.05 and five cents for goods furnished family of Riley Richart
Volunteer as per bill on file and certified by J. N. Chamberlain.

$313.87.00 Ordered that sixty five Dollars be and is hereby appro-
5457.00 priated for the purchase of Plank for the ~~purchase~~ construction
of a bridge across a certain cranberry Marsh in Section Eight
in Jackson Township to be expended under the supervision
of John Brandon.

Ordered that R. J. Lent be allowed ~~twenty~~ twelve and Dollars
5208 and twenty five cents ($12.25) for boarding Volunteers of
Cap. Rawleys Company 2nd. Vol. as certified by Cap. Rawley

Ordered that R. J. Lent be allowed thirty six Dollars
5209 ($36.00) for boarding Volunteers of Cap Merrills Company
as per bill certified by Cap. Merrill.

Ordered that James V. Best be allowed five Dollars ($5.00)
5215 for legal services in Case of State of Indiana V.S. Maria
Myers as per bill on file

Ordered that Henry Wills be allowed five Dollars ($5.00)
5216 for services as coroner in case of Inquest on child supposed to
belong to Maria Myers.

A Petition is now presented to the Board praying for
a road view in Jackson Township. which is in words and figures
as follows. To the honorable Board of Commissioners of De Kalb Co.
in the State of Indiana.

living n The undersigned citizens of said county and
living in the vicinity of the following proposed highway Petition
said Board for the view and location of a highway commencing
at a point between sections three (3) and four in Jackson
township of said County where the highway leading from Auburn
to Spencerville intersects said section line and running thence
North on said section line to the point where said line
strikes the North line of said Jackson township and if
said highway cannot be conveniently constructed
over the beaver dam at the south end of said proposed
highway then the same to be constructed around said
dam on the lands owned by John Mc Clellan to the
South end of said proposed highway said highway to be
of the width prescribed by Law.

And the Board being satisfied that sufficient Notice had been given of the pendancy of said Petition.

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Ordered that James Gretachius Jacob S. Paulmer and Daniel Lintz be and are hereby appointed viewers in the road for a road described in the foregoing Petition to Report at the next meeting of the Board.

Ordered that John Thomas be allowed for keeping
5717 Henry Thomas a pauper at the rate of $2.00 per three months dating from the first Monday in September 1861.

Ordered that B. Cayler & Co be allowed seven Dollars
5713 forty two cents for goods furnished County Poor as per Bill on file and certified by Co Superintendent.

Ordered that Wm McBride be allowed four Dollars and
5718 ten cents ($4.10) for lumber furnished for Poor House Farm as per Bill on file and certified by Co Superintendent

Ordered that Joseph Maxwell be allowed the sum
5751 of two hundred and forty three Dollars & thirty two cents ($243,32) for board care & c of County Poor as per bill on file and certified by County Superintendent

Comes now in open Sepion J. M. Minnich and and applies for a License to retail intoxicating Liquors in les quantity than a quant in his grocery situated on Lot No. 110 in the Town of Waterloo.

And the said Minnich having produced evidence that the required notice ~~having~~ been given in a Newspaper having general circulation in the County and further that he possessed the qualifications required by Law,

Ordered that License be granted to J. M. Minnich to retail in intoxicating Liquors in less quantity than a quart in his grocery on Lot No 110 in the Town of Waterloo
Issued Dec 3rd 64 under the provisions of Act of the Legislature authorizing the granting of License to vend intoxicating Liquors Approved March 5th 1859 Said License to be in force for one year from the 5th day of March inst

Comes now in open Sepion Ephraim Whetzel and applies for a License to retail Spiritious Liquors in les quantities than a quant at his grocery in Waterloo.

And the said Whetzel having produced sufficient evidence that the legal Notice had been given in a Newspaper having general circulation in the County and further that he possesses the qualifications required by Law.

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Ordered that Ephraim Whitsel be granted a
Issued License to retail intoxicating liquors in less quantities
Same sureties than a quart in his saloon situated on Lot No 43
in Waterloo, under the provisions of an Act to regulate
Same license to be in force until 1st July as prescribed the sale of the same the 4th
Ordered that J. D. Thomas be allowed seven Dollars
5219 for clothing for pauper boy Now in his care as per
bill on file and certified by Trustee of Neville Township.
Ordered that Robert Reed be allowed fifteen Dollars
5220 for house rent for Volunteers families as per bill on
file on file and certified by trustee of Union Township
Ordered that Krueger & Son be allowed six Dollars
5221 and forty four cents ($6,44) for goods furnished Mrs Fisher wife
of Volunteer as per bill on file and certified by trustee of
Union Township
Ordered that M & A. Hale be allowed four Dollars &
5222 thirty cents ($4,30) for goods furnished Mrs. Howard wife of
Volunteer as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Union
Township.
Ordered that G. W. Trout be allowed four Dollars and
5235 sixteen cents ($4,16) for goods furnished Mrs Snider wife
of Volunteer as per bill on file and certified by Trustee
of Union Township.
Ordered that J. W. Rickle be allowed one Dollar & forty
5136 cents ($1,40) for shoes furnished wife of Volunteer as per
bill on file and certified by Trustee of Union Township
Ordered that M & A. Hale be allowed one Dollar & forty
5237 five cents ($1,45) for good furnished Mrs. Wood Wife of Volun-
teer as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Union
Ordered that G. W Trout be allowed six Dollars and
5238 sixty six cents ($6,66) for goods furnished Mrs Roose wife
of Volunteer as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Union
Ordered that G. W. Trout be allowed two Dollars and
40 eighty six cents ($2,86) for groceries furnished Mrs Howard Wife of
a Volunteer as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Union
Ordered that John Butt be allowed five Dollars and seventy
5239 five cents for board of Volunteers of Cap Hawleys Company as per
$5,75 bill on file and certified by J. K Chamberlain
Ordered that W. Park and Son be allowed five Dollars & ninety
5241 three cents for goods furnished Mrs Plummer wife of a Volunteer
$5,93 as per bill on file
Ordered that J. M Minnich be allowed thirty seven Dollars
5182 and sixty one cents for groceries & furnished families of Volunteers
$37,61 as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Union Township
fourteen Dollars of this allowance for goods furnished pauper

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Ordered that E. M. Trout be allowed eleven
5242 Dollars and eighty one cents ($11.81) for goods furnished
Mrs. Wood Wife of Volunteer as per bill on file and
certified by Trustee of Union Township.

Ordered that M. Hopkins be allowed three Dollars and
5243 sixty eight cents ($3.68) goods furnished Mrs. Rose Wife of
Volunteer as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Union
Ordered that M. & A. Hale be allowed one Dollar & six ty
5244 eight cents ($1.68) for goods furnished family of Volunteer as per
bill on file and certified by Trustee of Union Township
Ordered that Dr M. S. Myers be allowed two Dollars
for medical services rendered pauper as per bill on file
5245 and certified by Trustee of Union Township.

Ordered that E. M. Trout be allowed five Dollars and
5246 ninety three cents ($5.93) for goods furnished family of
Volunteer as per bill on file and certified by Trustee
of Union Township.

Ordered that M. & A. Hale be allowed Seventeen Dollars
and thirty one cents ($17.31) for goods furnished Mrs. Rodges
5247 Wife of Volunteer as per bill on file and certified by Trustee
of Union Township.

Ordered that James L. McAnally be allowed three
Dollars and ninety five cents ($3.95) for boarding Bowman
5248 pauper as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of
Union Township.

Ordered that A. P. Clark be allowed One Dollar and
5249 fifty cents ($1.50) for conveying ~~A P Clark~~ pauper to the Poor
house as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Union

Ordered that M & A. Hale be allowed ten Dollars and
eighty five cents ($10.85) for goods furnished Hanjer Wife of
5250 Volunteer as per bill on file and certified by Trustee
of Union Township.

A Petition for a road view in Smithfield is presented
which is in words and figures as follows.

The undersigned your petitioners would most respectfully represent to the board of Commissioners of the Kalb County Indiana that public convenience requires that the following change be made in the Cold Water and Ft Wayne Road to vacate said road from where the same leaves the section line between Sections Thirty four & thirty five in Smithfield Township De Kalb County on land owned by J. Cobley extending from thence in a due Southwesterly direction (as per a Plat of the road furnished herewith) crossing Land owned by John Schantz & McEndarfer and intersecting the East and west Township line Road.

"between Smithfield and Union Township at the
"at the north end of Uniontown Village and to relocate said
"road upon the section line between sections 34 & 35 in Smithfield
"Township. Commencing at the same point above mentioned when
"the Coldwater and St Mayne Road leaves said Section line on
"land owned by C. C. Cobley Extending due South from thence
"upon said Section line crossing lands owned by C. C. Cobley
"John Schrantz & Wilderson & Wildemin & intersecting the
"East & West line Township line between Smithfield and Union
"Townships in the Kosciusko County Indiana, That from the point
"where said Road leaves the Section line until it intersects
"the Road between Smithfield and Union Township it passes
"over very uneven and Hilly ground which makes said road
"almost impassable during the Spring and fall months of the
"year. That the soil and make of the ground over which it
"is proposed to be located is more level and better adapted
"for a public Highway. That it now passes in a Zig Zag
"direction, but when located upon the section line will
"be Straight. Your Petitioners further represent that
"the land over which said located road passes will be
"donated by the owners thereof and save any expense to the
"County, and that the same will be worked and put in good
"order for the travelling Community without any assistance
"from the Road Tax and before the present Highway is vacated
"Wherefore we ask that you hear our Petition with favor and
"grant that said change be made in said highway."

Signed "John Schrantz & others."

And the Board being satisfied that the proper Notice had been given of the pendancy of said Petition and that said Petition had the requisite number of signers.

Ordered Augustus Lease J. Barclay & Wm Lepig be appointed Continued Viewers on said road for a road to report at the March term A.D. 1861 of this Board

A remonstrance against the establishing of a certain road in Richland Township is now presented which is in words and figures as follows To the Hon. Board of Commissioners of the Kosciusko County Indiana,

"The undersigned remonstrators respectfully remonstrate
"against the granting of the following described Highway to wit

"Commencing 20 rods East of the North West corner of the
"of the North quarter of Section seven in Richland Township thence
"South 44 rods thence East until it comes within 41 rods of the
"west line of said North East quarter of Section Seven

" thence south until it intersects the State road leading from Avilla
" in De Kalb County to Albion in Noble County and then terminate
" for the following reasons to wit 1st by pursueing the above route
" the proposed highway will run through the center of the
" undersigned farm and thus would spoil a good tract of
" farming land above 50 rods in length
" 2nd a more convenient and shorter road can be had by
" commencing at centre post of section 19. in said Open
" South line of said Section and running north three miles on
" quarter Section lines and thus avoid running through any
" mans farm and at the same time be more convenient
" for the whole surrounding County.
" 3rd the granting of said highway would damage the
" undersigned to the amount of two hundred Dollars in
" loss of land and fencing and inconvenience
Respectfully submitted "
"Horatio Blake"

Ordered that John Davis Joshua Teagle & Jacob D. Paulsons be appointed to review the route for roads described in the foregoing remonstrance. To meet at the house of Horatio Blake on the first Monday in Feb. 1862 and proceed to review said Route for roads and if they consider the same to be of public utility to appr the damage if any that said road may be to Horatio Blake Adjourned.

Ord'd June Dec 9 1861

David Buchanan
Henry Befselman
John Brandon

Wednesday Dec 4th 1861 Board met pursuant to adjournment Present the same as Yesterday.

Ordered that the several Twp Trustees be allowed for making Return of the Votes Election of 1861 as follows

327	To. John McCune	1	day & 22	miles travel		$1.08
	" John Teale	1	"	" 16	"	" 1.64
	" William Brown	1	"	" 24	"	" 1.96
	" P. R. Mormon	1	"	" 20	"	" 1.80
	" A. N. Blood	1	"	" 24	"	" 1.96
	" Lott Merrick	1	"	" 24	"	" 1.96
	" Henry Ewert	1	"	" 24	"	" 1.96
	" Washington Teeters	1	"	" 11	"	" 1.40
	" W. R. Emerson	1	"	" 31	"	" 2.20
	" D. C. Olson	1	"	" 14	"	" 1.56

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To John Jackman	1	day	94	miles travel	1.76
" Leonard Myers	1	"	10	" "	1.40
" Freeman Kelly	1	"	16	" "	1.64

Comes Now Edward Eldridge and orates application for a license to retail intoxicating Liquor in les quantity than a quart in his Saloon situated on Lot No 68 in the Town of Auburn under the provisions of the Law Act of the State Legislature for regulating the sale of intoxicating Liquors &c Approved March 5th 1859.

And the Board being satisfied that the proper Legal Notice had been given by publication in a Newspaper having general circulation in the County, And also that he possessed the qualifications required by Law

Ordered that a License be granted to Edward Eldridge to vend intoxicating and other Liquins in his Saloon situated on Lot No 68 in the Town of Auburn under the provisions of an Act authorizing and regulating the sale of spirituous ~~Spirituous~~ Liquors Approved March 5th 1859 Said License to be in force for one year from the date of these.

Comes Now Joseph Plum and makes application in open Court for a License to retail intoxicating Liquors in a les quantity than a quart in his Saloon situated on Lot No 80 74 O.D. Auburn DeKalb County Ind

And the Board being satisfied that the proper legal notice had been given by publication in a newspaper having general circulation in the County And also that he possessed the qualifications required by Law

Ordered that a license be granted to Joseph Plum to vend intoxicating Liquors in his building situated on Lot No 94 O.D. Auburn under the provisions of an Act authorizing and regulating the sale of intoxicating Liquors Approved March 5th 1859. Said License to be in force for one year from the date thereof.

The Petition of John Cheeks is now presented asking the Board to grant him license to retail spirituous Liquors in a les quantity than a quart on his premises Lot No 16 in the Town of Corunna DeKalb County Ind

And the Board being satisfied that the proper legal notice had been given by publication in a newspaper having a general circulation in the county, And also that he possessed the qualifications required by Law

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Ordered that a License be granted to John Child to vend Spirituous Liquors in a less quantity than a gua in his premises on Lot No 16 Corinna under the provis ons of an Act authorizing and regulating the sale of Spirituous Liquors Approved March 5th 1857. Said License to be in force for one year from the date of the same Grant

Ordered that J. N Chamberlain be allowed five ($5.00) 5251 for cash advanced for Sheriffs blanks as per bill on file

Ordered that Geo Benny be allowed four Dollars 5252 and ninety nine cents for cash advanced and redeeming County orders as per bill on file.

Ordered that T. D. Groff be allowed two Dollars 5253 and thirty four cents ($2.34) for lumber for Poor House as per bill on file and certified by Co. Superintendent

5254 Ordered that W. Parker & Son be allowed thirty three 5254 Dollars & sixty eight cents for goods furnished Mrs [redacted] Wife of Volunteer as per bill on file

Ordered that J. N Chamberlain be allowed five Dolls 5255 ($5.00) Medical attendance on Prisoners as per bill on file and certified by said Chamberlain.

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed seventeen 5256 Dollars and forty eight cents ($17.48) for Medical attendance on paupers as per bill on file and certified by J N Chamberlain Co. Physician.

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed thirty 5257 Dollars ($30.00) for paying insurance on Public Buildings as per bill on file.

Adjourned

David Buchanan
Henry Trafton
John Brandon

Thursday morning Dec 5th Board met present the same as yesterday.

Ordered that D. N. McBrine be allowed the sum of five 5912 Dollars ($5.00) for post mortem examination in case of State vs Maria Myers as per bill on file and certified by coroner.

Ordered that J. S. Sheldon be allowed the sum of five 5258 Dollars ($5.00) for making post mortem Examination as per bill on file and certified by Coroner.

Ordered that J. C. Loveland be allowed four Dollars 5259 ($4.00) for printing done on order of County Examiner

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Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed five Dollars
5260 and sixty seven cents ($5.67) for cash advanced for
oil, ink, freight &c as per bill on file and certified by
Auditor.

Ordered that John Ralston be allowed thirty seven
5261 Dollars and fifty cents ($37.50) Extra compensation as per
bill on file and certified by Co. Clerk.

Ordered that John Ralston be allowed three Dollars
5262 and twenty five ($3.25) for Cash advanced for oil &c as
per bill on file and certified by Clerk of Court.

Ordered that W. C. Roberts be allowed fourteen Dollars
5263 " and seventy cents ($14.70) house for use of family of Volunteer
as per bill on file

5791 Ordered that L. L. Ford be allowed twenty six Dollars
and ten cents ($26.10) for boarding Volunteers of Capt
Hawleys Company as per bill on file and certified by said
Capt Hawley.

5791 Ordered that L. L. Ford be allowed the sum of
one Dollar and thirty five cents ($1.35) for boarding Vol-
as per bill on file and certified by J. C. Smith Lieutenant

Ordered that L. L. Ford be allowed the sum of four
5791 Dollars and thirty five cents ($4.35) ~~for~~ boarding Volunteers
as per bill on file and certified by G. W. Merrill & J. C. Smith

Ordered that R. B. Catlin be allowed One hundred
and forty six Dollars and seventy seven cents ($146.77)
for Services as Co Treasurer as per bill on file.

~~The~~ The viewers appointed on a road in Richland
township Report as follows. "We the viewers appointed to
"view said Road did on the 24th day of October 1861
"proceed to view and locate said Road as follows to wit
"Commencing twenty three (23) rods East of the North west
"corner of the North East quarter of Section seven (7) thence south
"forty four rods (44) thence East eighteen rods thence south
"three hundred and seventeen and one fourth rods (317¼)
"to the State road leading from Auburn to Lisbon the
"lines running south being parallell with the west line
"of said quarter as described in the order. We did view
"and mark out said rout and we the viewers report said
"road favorable and of public utility with the to be hint,
"first In consequence of a remonstrance no order to the establishing of said road at the present Session. } "Christian Hines
"William Grube
"John A. Dittmar

5264 Ordered that C. Rent Wm Grube and John A. Dittmar
5265 5266 be each allowed two Dollars for viewing two roads

in Richland as per bill on file

Ordered that John McCune be allowed five Dollars
5267 for two days surveying roads as per bill on file

The viewers appointed to viewed a road in Smithfield Report in words and figures as follows

"We the viewers appointed to view said Road did
"~~[illegible]~~ on the fourteenth day of October 1861 proceed
"to view said road as follows to wit
"Commencing at the County line at corner of Section
"One (1) and (2) two from thence South on the Section
"line to the section line running East and West
"between Sections one (1) two (2) and Eleven (11) and twelve
"(12) and there terminate, The width of said road
"to be forty (40) feet as described in the Order. We did
"view and mark out said road and we the viewers report
"said road favorable and of public utility"

Order issued and the board ordered that said Road be established and an order be issued for it to be opened } "Jeremiah Remstreet" "F. M. Lockhart" (viewers)

5282 Ordered that F. M Lockhart and Jeremiah Remstreet
5283 be each allowed two Dollars for viewing road in Smithfield township.

Ordered that Henry Papelman be allowed the sum of
5711 one dollar $1.00 for selling and accepting Bridge across Bush Creek as per bill on file

Ordered that David Buchanan be allowed two
5720 Dollars ($2.00) for attending to building bridge across Fish Creek in Franklin township as per bill on file

Ordered that T. R. Dickinson be allowed Sixty Dollars
5965 for ($60) for Legal services in behalf of the Bath County as per bill on file

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed twelve
5969 Dollars and eighty cents for board of prisoners &c- as per bill on file an certified by Sheriff

Ordered that W. C. Rush be allowed nine Dollars and
5970 fifty cents ($9.50) for repairs on jail &c as per bill on file and certified by Sheriff

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed thirty Dollars
5971 ($30.00) summoning jurys as per bill file and certified by Sheriff.

Ordered that T. R. Dickinson be allowed $18.25
5972 for printing done for County as per bill on file and certified

Ordered that W. H. Hill be allowed the sum of one
5994 Dollar ($1.00) for writing contract as per bill on file

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A Petition is now presented to the board asking for a road view which is in words and figures as follows,
"State of Indiana DeKalb County, To the board of Commissioners of said County your petitioners represent that it will be of public utility to change the road leading from Auburn in said County to Albion in Noble County by commencing at the quarter post between land owned by John Brandon and Jonathan Hall in Section thirty in Union Township near the house of John Brandon, thence north on the road leading to Steuben County to the north east corner of the land of the said Jonathan Hall then west through the centre of the North east quarter of Section thirty on the land of said Jonathan Hall and Enos Hearn until it until it ~~strikes~~ intersects the road as now travelled East of S. Bragg's Your Petitioners therefore ask the board to appoint viewers to view and make said change, and vacate so much of said road leading from Auburn to Albion as lies between the quarter post near John Brandon's and the point on the west side of the north east quarter of Section thirty where the line through the centre of said quarter strikes the said road leading to Albion. Said road will pass over the land of Jonathan Hall and Enos Hearn"
Signed by E B. Mott A. Spangler and many others
And the Board being satisfied that the proper Notices had been posted up as the Law requires and that the petition had the necessary number signers living in the vicinity of said proposed change, grant the prayer of said Petitioners and appoint
George Wolff Abraham McIntarfer and Timothy McClure to view said proposed change and vacation and report at the March Session of the Board.
A petition is now presented asking for a change and vacation in a road which is in words and figures as follows
"To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of the DeKalb County The undersigned freeholders of said county hereby petition your honorable body to vacate a road on the South line of the North West practional quarter of section seven Township thirty three North of Range thirteen East commencing at the Butler Township line and running east on said line about one hundred and thirty eight rods to the Centre line (North and South) of said Section. And to vacate so much of the road that now runs across the South East corner of said practional quarter Section, Said location and change to affect and touch the lands of Robert Work and James McClellan.

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and the Board being satisfied that Legal Notice had been given of the pendency of said Petition and further that the Petition had the requisite number of signers as contemplated by the Statute, grant the prayer of the Petitioners and appoint Assessors John Reece and Jacob Dill viewers on said proposed change and vacation to report at the next Session of the Board as

Ordered that A.J. Hunt be allowed $56,50 for services as County Auditor as per bill on file and certified by Auditor

5274

Ordered that A.J. Hunt be allowed $182.00 for services as Auditor making Sept 1861 as per bill on file

5275

Ordered that A.J. Hunt be allowed $10,71 for services as Auditor managing School Fund as per bill on file

5276

Ordered that A.J. Hunt be allowed $21.65 for services as Auditor as per bill on file

5277

Ordered that T.W. Widney be allowed the sum of two hundred and twenty five Dollars ($225) for making General Index of Deeds as per bill on file and certified by Recorder.

5278

Ordered that seventy five Dollars be appropriated to aid in the construction of a Bridge across the West branch of Cedar Creek near Peter Deems in Richland Township to be expended under the supervision of John Brandon.

Adjourned

David Buchanan

Hervey Bruffelman

John Brandon

December Sepion 1861 5th Day

Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

Ordered that the several Township Trustees be authorized to see to the necessities of the families of Volunteers ~~in the families of Volunteers~~ in the Military Service of the United States, And the Auditor is hereby authorized to issue Orders on the application of said Trustees in amounts not to exceed two Dollars per month to each wife of Volunteer having children to provide for, and one Dollar per month to each child under the age of sixteen years such money to be drawn by the Trustees making application therefor and paid over by them to such destitute wives of Volunteers — and in no case shall the amounts so drawn exceed the amounts first herein specified, unless specially ordered by the Board of Commissioners, Any destitute Widow having Son or Sons on whom they were dependent in said Military Service shall receive the benefits of this Order at the rate as the wives of Soldiers

Ordered that an order for thirteen Dollars and twelve cents be
5278 issued to R. B. Catlin on the bill allowed him at the present Sepion and that no order be issued for the balance of said bill untill further ordered by the Board

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed the
5280 sum of five Dollars and fifty cents ($5.50) for Services as County Agent as per bill on file

Ordered that the old copy of the General Index of Deeds be delivered over to C. A. O. McClellan by the Recorder on the presentation of a receipt from the Co- Treasurer showing that the said McClellan has paid into the Treasury the sum of five Dollars for the said copy

5198 Ordered that David Buchanan Henry Fuhrman and
5201 John Brandon be each allowed fifteen Dollars for Services
5202 as Commissioners at present Sepion,

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of
5279 ten Dollars for Services as Sheriff at present Sepion

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed thirteen Dollars and
5281 ninety cents ($13.90) for services at present Sepion as per bill on file. Adjourned

David Buchanan
Henry Fuhrman
John Brandon

Deed from Auditor of DeKalb County Indiana to John G. Mantz

This Indenture Witnesseth that whereas on the 7th day of July 1847 George L. Webb purchased of the School Commissioners of DeKalb County Indiana the following described School Lands belonging to the inhabitants of Congressional Township Thirty five (35) North of Range Twelve East in said County of DeKalb to wit the South East quarter of Section Sixteen (16) for the sum of four hundred and eighty Dollars and received thereof a certificate of purchase.

And thereafter to wit on the 20th day of January 1862 Timothy R. Dickinson a Commissioner appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of said County therefor filed in the Auditors Office of said County an assignment of the Equity of said George L. Webb made under the direction of said Court of Common Pleas for a part of said premises to wit the South East fourth thereof to John G. Mantz from which assignment it appears that said George L. Webb had long previous thereto became deceased and that said assignment was made under the direction of said Court on a proceeding in partition of the heirs at law of said George L. Webb deceased and for a further and more complete description of said assignment reference is now here had to the same which is made a part of this indenture

Now therefore Know Ye that I Albert J. Hunt Auditor of said County of DeKalb in the consideration of the premises aforesaid, and in the further consideration that said Timothy R. Dickinson as Commissioner as aforesaid has filed in said Auditors Office the County Treasurers receipt for the full payment of the principal and interest due on said premises, have sold and do by these presents bargain sell and convey to said John G. Mantz his heirs and assigns all the interest the inhabitants of Congressional Township Thirty five (35) North of Range Twelve (12) East in DeKalb County State of Indiana have in and to The South East fourth of the South East quarter of Section Sixteen 16, in said Township so that the said John G. Mantz his heirs and assigns hold the same as an Estate of indefeasable inheritance against the inhabitants of said Congressional Township forever.

In testimony whereof the said Albert J. Hunt as Auditor of said County hath hereunto set his official hand and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County this 20th day of January 1862

L. S.

Attest George Barry County Treasurer — Albert J. Hunt Auditor

State of Indiana
De Kalb County S.S.

Before me came Albert J. Hunt Auditor of said County and acknowledged the foregoing Deed. Witness my my hand and Official Seal this twentieth day of January A. D. 1862

(L. S.)

Geo. Barney
Notary Public

Deed.

Auditor of De Kalb
To
Frederick Krehle

This Indenture witnesseth that whereas on the 7th day of July 1847 George L. Webb purchased of the School Commissioner of of De Kalb County Indiana the following described School Lands belonging to the inhabitants of Congressional Township Thirty five 35 North of Range Twelve (12) East in said County of De Kalb to wit the south East quarter of Section Sixteen (16) for the sum of four hundred and Eighty five dollars and received a certificate of purchase therefor.

And thereafter, to wit on the 21st day of January 1862 Timothy R. Dickinson a Commissioner appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of said County, therefor filed in the Auditors Office of said County an assignment of the Equity of said George L. Webb under the direction of said Court of Common Pleas of a part of said premises to wit the North West fourth thereof to Frederick Krehl from which assignment it appears, that said George L. Webb had long previous to said assignment become deceased, and that said assignment was made under the direction of said Court on a proceeding in partition of the heirs at law of said George L. Webb deceased, and for a more complete description of said assignment reference is now here had to the same, which is made a part of this indenture

Now therefore Know Ye, that I. Albert J. Hunt Auditor of said County of De Kalb in consideration of the premises aforesaid, and in further consideration that said Timothy R. Dickinson as Commissioner as aforesaid, has filed in said Auditors Office the County Treasurers receipt for the full payment of the principal and interest due on the same have sold, and do by these presents bargain sell and convey to said Frederick Krehl his heirs and assigns all the interest the inhabitants of Congressional Township Thirty five (35) North of Range Twelve 12. East in De Kalb County State of Indiana have in and to The North West fourth of the South East quarter of Section Sixteen (16) in said Township to that the said Frederick Krehl his heirs and assigns hold the same as an Estate of indefeasible inheritance against the inhabitants of said Congressional Township forever

In testimony whereof the said Albert J. Hunt as Auditor of said County hath hereunto set his Official hand and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County this 20th day of January 1862

Attest Geo. Ramsey County Treasurer. Albert J. Hunt Auditor

State of Indiana
De Kalb County S. S.

Before me a Notary Public came Albert J. Hunt Auditor of said County acknowledged the foregoing Deed, Witness my hand and Official Seal this twentieth day of January A. D. 1862.

Geo. Ramsey
Notary Public

Deed
Auditor of De Kalb Co
To
Benjamin P. Hunt

This indenture Witnesseth, that whereas on the 7th day of July 1847 George L. Webb purchased of the School Commissioner of De Kalb County Indiana the following described School Lands belonging to the inhabitants of Congressional Township Thirty five (35) North of Range Twelve (12) East in said County of De Kalb, to wit the South East quarter of Section Sixteen (16) for the sum of four hundred and eighty Dollars and received a certificate of purchase therefor.

And thereafter to wit On the 20th day of January 1862 Timothy R. Dickinson a Commissioner appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of said County therefor filed in the Auditors Office of said County an assignment of the Equity of said George L. Webb under the direction of said Court of Common Pleas for a part of said premises to wit the North East fourth thereof to Benjamin P. Hunt from which assignment it appears that said George L. Webb had long previous thereto become deceased and that said assignment was made under the direction of said Court on a proceeding in partition of the heirs at law of said George L. Webb deceased and for a further and more complete description of said assignment reference is now here had to the same which is made a part of this indenture.

Now Therefore Know Ye that I Albert J. Hunt Auditor of said County of De Kalb in consideration of the premises aforesaid and in the further consideration that said Timothy R. Dickinson as Commissioner as aforesaid has filed in said Auditors Office the County Treasurers receipt for the full payment of the principal and interest due on the said premises have sold and do by these presents sell and convey to said

Benjamin P. Hunt his heirs and assigns all the interest the inhabitants of Congressional Township Thirty five (35) North of Range Twelve (12) East in the DeKalb County State of Indiana have in and to. The North East fourth of the South East quarter of Section Sixteen 16 in said Township so that the said Benjamin P. Hunt his heirs and assigns hold the same as an Estate of indefeasable inheritance against the inhabitants of said Congressional Township forever.

In testimony whereof the said Albert J. Hunt as Auditor of Said County hath hereunto set his hand and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County this twentieth day of January 1862

L. S.

Attest Geo Barney County Treasurer. A. J. Hunt Auditor DeKalb Co.

State of Indiana
DeKalb County Ss.

Before me a Notary Public came Albert J. Hunt Auditor of said County and acknowledged the foregoing Deed.

Witness my hand and Official Seal this twentieth day of January A. D. 1862

Geo Barney
Notary Public

L. S.

Deed X

Auditor DeKalb Co. To George J. Backler

This indenture witnesseth that whereas on the 7th day of July 1847 George L. Webb purchased of the School Commissioner of DeKalb County Indiana the following described School Lands belonging to the inhabitants of Congressional Township Thirty five (35) North of Range Twelve (12) East in said County of DeKalb to wit the South East quarter of Section Sixteen 16 for the sum of four hundred and 64/100 dollars and received a certificate of purchase therefor. And thereafter to wit on the 20th day of January 1862 Timothy R. Dickinson a commissioner appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of said County therefor filed in the Auditors Office of said County an assignment of the Equity of said George L. Webb under the direction of said Court of Common Pleas of a part of said premises to wit the South West fourth thereof to George J. Backler from which assignment it appears that said George L. Webb had long previous thereto become deceased and that said assignment was made under the direction of said Court on a proceeding in partition of the heirs at law

of said George L. Webb deceased and for a further and more compleate description of said assignment reference is now here had to the same which is made a part of this indenture.

Now therefore Know Ye, that I. Albert J. Hunt Auditor of said County of De Kalb in consideration of the premises aforesaid and in the further consideration that said Timothy R. Dickinson as Commissioner as aforesaid has filed in said Auditors Office the County Treasurers receipt for the full payment of the Principal and interest due on the said premises, have sold and do by these presents bargain sell and convey to the said George J. Bachler his heirs and assigns all the interest the inhabitants of Congressional Township Thirty five (35) North of Range Twelve (12) East in the Kalb County have in and to. the South West fourth of the South East quarter of Section Sixteen (16) in said Township so that the said George J. Bachler his heirs and assigns hold the same as an Estate of indefeasable inheritance against the inhabitants of said Congressional Township forever.

In testimony whereof the said Albert J. Hunt as L. S. Auditor of said County hath hereunto set his official hand and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County this 20th day of January 1862.

Attest Geo. Barney County Treasurer. Albert J. Hunt
Auditor D.K.C

State of Indiana
De Kalb County S.S.

Before me a Notary Public came Albert J. Hunt Auditor of said County and acknowledged the foregoing Deed.

Witness my hand and Official Seal.
This twentieth day of January A. D. 1862

Geo. Barney
L. S. Notary Public

Preceeding the issuing of the Deeds hereinbefore recorded to wit the deed to Frederick Kiehl for the North West fourth- to George J. Bachler for the South West fourth- to John G. Mentz for the South East fourth and to Benjamin P. Hunt for the North East fourth of the South East quarter of Section Sixteen (16) Township Thirty five (35) Range Twelve (12) East in the County of

De Kalb and State of Indiana Timothy R. Dickenson Commissioner filed in the Auditors Office of said County of De Kalb an Assignment of the Equity of Moses Webb and others heirs at law of George L. Webb deceased to the hereinnamed Frederick Kochl, George L. Sachen, John G. Wertz and Benjamin R. Hunt, to the before described, several, divisions of the South East quarter of Section Sixteen 16 in Township Thirty five 35 Range Twelve 12 in said County of De Kalb, which said assignment had been duly acknowledged before M. M. Crapp the then judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the said County of De Kalb in the State of Indiana, which said assignment bore an endorsement in words and figures as follow to wit

"Filed in Open Court and recorded in order Book "BB" pages "466 to 467 inclusive of said Court January 20th 1862."

"John Ralston Clerk"

Afignment of Certificate No 86 of Wilmington In Part

For value received I Mary Oakright administratrix of the Estate of Samuel Oakright deceased afign and transfer to Rachel Oakright all the right title and interest of the heirs at law of the said Samuel Oakright deceased to the North West fourth of the North West quarter of Section Sixteen in Township Thirty four (34) North of Range Twelve (12) East containing Eighty acres more or less, Being a part of the land described in the attached Certificate No 86 of Wilmington January 22nd 1862.

Mary her + mark Oakright (L.S.)
Administratrix.

Attest- A. J. Hunt"

State of Indiana
De Kalb County ss. Before me came Mary Oakright the Signer of the foregoing afignment and acknowledged the same. Witness my hand and Official Seal, this 22nd day of January 1862

(L.S.) Albert J. Hunt Auditor
De Kalb Co. Ind-

Deed
Auditor De Kalb Co
Rachel Oakright

Whereas Rachel Oakright Afignee of Mary Oakright Administratrix of Samuel Oakright deceased, the original purchaser of the North West quarter of Section Sixteen Township Thirty four (34) North of Range Fourteen 14 East in De Kalb County State of Indiana has paid the full sum of twenty six dollars and seventy five cents ($26,75) the same being a full proportional share of the money now, at the time of said payment due on said North West quarter, And said payment being for the North West fourth of said quarter- the interest and title of the heirs at law of said Samuel Oakright deceased to and in said North West fourth of said North West quarter having been duly afigned as aforesaid to the said Rachel Oakright.

Now Know Ye, that in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the Statute in such cases made and provided I Albert J. Hunt Auditor of said County of De Kalb in the State of Indiana for and in the name of the inhabitants of Congressional Township Thirty four (34) North of Range Fourteen (14) East do give grant and convey to the said Rachel Oakright and to her heirs and afigns forever all the North West fourth of the North West quarter of Section Sixteen as aforesaid, containing forty (40) acres more or less.

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name as Auditor and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners this 22nd day of January 1862 (L.S.) Albert J. Hunt Auditor De Kalb County

State of Indiana De Kalb County ss. Before the undersigned Recorder of De Kalb County Albert J. Hunt Auditor of De Kalb County acknowledged the foregoing Deed, Witness my hand and Official Seal this 22nd day of January 1862

S. M. Medney Recorder De Kalb Co.

Assignment of School Certificate No 86 Wilmington Ls Pat

For value recieved I Mary Eakright administratrix of the Estate of Samuel Eakright deceased assign and transfer to W. H. Maddux all the right title and interest of the heirs at law of Samuel Eakright deceased to the South West fourth of the North West quarter of Section Sixteen (16) Township thirty four 34 North of range Fourteen (14) East De Kalb County containing forty (40) acres more or less being a part of the land described in the attached Certificate No 86 Wilmington January 24th 1862

Attest A. J. Hunt. Mary her X mark Eakright Administratrix

State of Indiana
De Kalb County S.S. Before me A. J. Hunt Auditor Mary Eakright Administratrix acknowledged the foregoing assignment, Witness my hand and Official Seal this 24th day of January 1862

L.S.

Allen J. Hunt Auditor

February Special Session A. D. 1862

Friday February 14th 1862 The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County met pursuant to the call of the Auditor present David Buchanan Henry Fufelman and John Brandon Commissioners and N. J. Hunt Auditor The said Call being to take into consideration the building of a bridge across Cedar Creek near Bitmans Saw mill

5960 Ordered that an appropriation of One hundred dollars be made
5961 for the construction of a bridge across Cedar Creek on the
5962 Auburn & Fort Wayne road near Bitmans Saw-mill to be Expended under the superintendence of John Brandon.

Ordered that David Buchanan Henry Fufelman & John Brandon be each allowed the sum of three Dollars for services at the present Session

David Buchanan

Henry Fufelman

John Brandon

March Term A.D. 1862 1st day

Board of Commissioners of the Polk County met pursuant to Law Present David Buchanan Henry Tuplerman and John Brandon Commissioners Also A. J. Hunt Auditor & Clerk and J. N. Chamberlain Sheriff

Ordered that William Monroe be allowed the sum
No 5372 of Nine dollars (9.00) for care and support of Patt Calhoun a pauper as per bill on file and certified by the Trustee of Concord Township.

Ordered that N. L. Rhodes be allowed the sum of
5389 Eight dollars and sixty three ($8.63) for goods furnished for use of County Poor as per bill on file and certified by County Superintendent.

Ordered that Charles Case Esq be allowed the sum
No. 5373 of sixty dollars ($60.00) for legal services rendered the County as per bill on file.

Lott Herrick Trustee of Concord Township presents his account of the receipts and expenditures of said Township for the year ending March first 1862 which being satisfactory is accepted.

Ordered that Lot Herrick Trustee of Concord Township be allowed the sum of sixty two dollars and twenty five cents ($62.25) for services as trustee to be paid out of the funds of said Township.

Ordered that Lott Herrick be allowed the sum
5390 of three dollars ($3.00) for services as overseer of Poor in Concord Township as per bill on file.

Washington Peeters Trustee of Richland presents his report of the receipts and Expenditures of said Township for the year ending March 1st 1862 which being satisfactory is accepted.

Ordered that W. Peeters be allowed the sum of fifty one dollars for services as Trustee of Richland Township for the year ending March 1. 1862 to be paid out of the funds of said Township.

William Brown Trustee of Stafford Township presents his report of the receipts and Expenditures of said Township for the year ending March 1 1862 which being satisfactory are accepted.

Ordered that William Brown be allowed the sum of twenty nine and thirty seven and a half cents ($29.37½) for services as Trustee of Stafford Township for the year Ending March 1. 1862 to be paid out of the funds of said Township.

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5291 Ordered that William Brown be allowed $1,50 for services superintending Bridges also $4,50 for services not allowed on account of families of Volunteers as per bill on file

Ordered that Washington Deeter be allowed the
5297 sum of five 25/100 ($5,25) for services as overseer of Poor as per bill on file

Ordered that Elliot N. Blood be allowed the sum
No.5375 of fifteen dollars and sixty eight cents ($15,68) for services and goods &c taking care of Paupers as per bill on file

Wm R. Emerson Trustee of Troy presents his report of the receipts and expenditures of said Township for the year ending March 1st 1862 which being satisfactory to the Board is accepted.

Ordered that W. R. Emerson be allowed the sum of forty one dollars and thirty cents ($41,30) for services as Trustee of Troy Township for the year ending March first 1862 to be paid out of the funds of said Township

Ordered that N. L. Thomas be allowed the sum of
5295 Eight Dollars ($8,00) for goods furnished family of Volunteer as per bill on file

Ordered that Philip Gamell be allowed three dollars
5277 and five cents ($3,05) for sundries furnished family of Volunteers as per bill on file

Ordered that Joseph Hart be allowed four dollars &
5278 thirty cents ($4,30) for provisions furnished wife of Volunteer as per bill on file

Ordered that N. L. Thomas be allowed eight dollars
5299 and thirty one cents ($8,31) for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per bill on file.

Ordered that N. L. Thomas be allowed Eleven dollars
5400 and seventy cents for goods furnished Mrs. Smith wife of Volunteer as per order on file from Trustee of Newville

The Trustee of Butler Elisha Hanson presents his report of the receipts and Expenditures of said Township for the year ending March 1st 1862 which being satisfactory is accepted

Ordered that E. E. Hanson be allowed the sum of thirty three dollars and twenty five cents ($33,25) for services as Trustee of Butler Township for the year ending March 1st 1862

300 Ordered that an appropriation of one hundred dollars
301 be made for the construction of a bridge across the Cedar Creek on the Defiance road East of Waterloo to be expended under the superintendence of John Brandon

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Ordered that D. B. Ward be allowed one dollar and
5401 twenty five cents ($1.25) for shoe furnished wife of Volunteer
as per bill on file and certified by J. N. Chamberlain
A Petition is now presented to the Board praying for a
road view which is in words and figures as follows
"To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners
"of De Kalb County Indiana we the freeholders and house
"holders of Noble and De Kalb Counties do petition your
"honorable body for a road on the line of Counties Noble
"and De Kalb commencing at the corner of Section
"twenty five and thirty six in Noble County and Section
"thirty and thirty one in De Kalb County on the Auburn
"and Port Mitchell road and running south through
"Lands owned by Aaron Vanpoden of Noble County John
"Grubb of De Kalb County John Stahl of Noble County Edward
"Kelham of De Kalb County George Drawcock of Noble
"County Mrs. Mary Sollaton of De Kalb County John
"Drawcock William Wham of Noble County Samuel
"Axtell De Kalb and Moses Cramer of Noble County
"said road to extend two miles south to intersect
"the road running east from Hiram Cramers in
"Swan Township Indiana. We your petitioners will
"Ever pray" Signed "Robert Imelone John Grubb & others
1st Monday in August And the board grant the prayer of the Petitioners
and appoint Samuel Swihart to act in conjunc-
tion with a commissioner that may be appointed
by the board of Com— of Noble County as commission-
er to on part of De Kalb Co to view said road.

Ordered that J. M. Case be allowed two dollars
5402 and fifty cents ($2.50) for flour furnished Mrs Hoodlemans
Wife of Volunteer as per bill on file and certified

Ordered that B. A. Chaffee be allowed Eleven
No 5279 Dollars and seven cents ($11.07) for goods furnished families
of Volunteers as per Handbills filed

Ordered that J. N. Miller be allowed thirty dollars
5392 and forty eight cents ($30.48) for care and keeping of
A Balden pauper as per bill on file

Ordered that Nathan Parmer be allowed the
5403 sum of Nine Dollars ($9.00) for goods ~~found~~ furnished
Mrs Meeks Wife of Volunteer on order of Trustees
of Newville.

Ordered that S. K. Bartlett be allowed the sum of
5405 Twelve dollars ($12.00) for necessaries furnished Family
of Volunteers on order of Trustee of Stafford

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Ordered that J. M. Rex be allowed three dollars
5080 and sixty four cents ($3,64) for goods furnished paupers
as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Union

Ordered that J. M. Rex be allowed fifty eight
5081 dollars and sixty eight cents ($58,68) for goods furnished
families of Volunteers as per bills on file and
duly certified

Ordered that M. M Bartlett be allowed the sum of eight dollars
5076 for support of family of Volunteer as per order of Trustee
of Newville Township on file and certified

Ordered that M M. Bartlett be allowed the sum of Eight dollars
5076 for support of family of Volunteer as per order of Trustee
of Newville Township on file

Comes Now Joseph Beck and in open Court makes
application for a license to vend Spirituous Liquors in
less quantity than a quart in the building situated on Lot
No- 5 in the town of Butler. And the Board being satisfied
that the proper notice had been given by publication in
a Newspaper having a general circulation in the County
and that the said Beck had had the qualifications
required by Law.

Ordered that Joseph Beck be granted a license to
vend Spirituous malt and other liquors in less quantities
than a quart in the building situated on Lot No 5
in the town of Butler in accordance with the provisions
of and Act authorizing and regulating the sale of
intoxicating and other Liquors Approved March 5th
1859 said License to be in force one year from
the date thereof.

The persons appointed to view a road in Jackson
Township present their report which is in words and figures
as follows. "We the viewers appointed to view said
road died on the first day of Feby- 1862 proceed to
view and Examine the ground of said road as follows
to wit commencing at the section line between Section
Seventeen and twenty at the south west corner of the South
East quarter of Section Seventeen thence running East on
said section line to the State line and there terminate
Being in Township No 35 north of Range 15 East,
as described in the order We the viewers did view and
mark out said road and we the viewers report said road
favorable and of public utility. Signed John Helwig
Daniel McDannel and F. J. Buencamhauer

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order issued — Ordered that the foregoing report be accepted and that said road be established and an order be issued for its being opened of the width of forty feet

5406 5407 No. 5374 5495 — Ordered that John Helvig and David McDaniel be each allowed one dollar and J. J. Timmenhouse two dollars for viewing said road and that J. J. Imhoff be allowed fifty cents for qualifying said viewers.

"A Petition is now presented to the board asking for a private road which is in words and figures as follows.

"To the Board of Commissioners of the Kalb County and the undersigned citizens and freeholders of said County would petition your honorable board for the location of a private road described as follows, Commencing at the South West corner of the North west quarter of the south East quarter of Section one (1) in Richland Township thence south on the quarter line to the south line of said section and there terminate. We would represent that the before described road is the nearest and best outlet for B. Stahl to a public highway."

And the board being satisfied that the proper legal Notice had been given appoint J. M. Brumback John Lapoint and L. D. Britton viewers on said road for a private road to report at the next session of the board. Adjourned

David Buchanan
Henry Shupelman
John Brandon

certificate issued

March Term 1862 2nd day

Tuesday morning May 4th 1862 Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday.

5408 — Ordered that William Schnell be allowed three dollars and twelve cents ($3.12) for sawing wood for Auditors Office as per bill on file and certified by Auditor.

5293 — Ordered that J. N. Miller be allowed the sum of five dollars $5.00 for wheat furnished family of Volunteer as per Order of Trustee of Stafford on file

A Petition is now presented to the Board praying for a road view which is in words and figures as follows.

"To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of the Kalb County State of Indiana we the undersigned petition for a public highway in Township 35 Range 12 on the Section line of thirty six (36) and on the Section

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"of 31 in Township thirty five Range 13 said public high
"way is to be located between the two sections on
"lands owned by J. H. Kline NW q SE q to William
"Stow NW q SE q quarter Samuel Lucas SE q q NE
"quarter and Heirs of Smith NE quarter q NE quarter
"on the East line of Section thirty six (36) in said Township
"and also on the west line of Section thirty one (31) in Township
"thirty five (35) Range thirteen (13) on Land owned by
"J. A. Savage S. W quarter and Joseph Ellenwood west-
"part North West quarter of said Township We the said
"petitioners ask the said Board to grant said public
"Highway to be laid out thirty (30) feet wide We
"submit the above to the Board of Commissioners
"of the said County of De Kalb February 5th 1862."
Signed William Stow and others.
And the Board being satisfied that the proper
legal Notice had been given.
Ordered that David Rager Abraham Rupp and
Valentine Weaver be appointed to view the road
for a road described in the foregoing petition
and report at the June meeting of the Board

Ordered that John Ralston be allowed twenty
5409 five Dollars ($25,00) Extra Compensation as Collector
as per bill on file and duly authenticated.

Ordered that Stiefel & Wolf be allowed five
5410 Dollars and fifty eight cents ($5,58) for goods furnished
poor as per bill on file an duly certified

Ordered that Stiefel & Wolf be allowed forty one
5411 Dollars ($41,00) for goods furnished Volunteers as
per bills on file and properly certified ten in No.

Ordered that R. Ettinger be allowed sixteen dollars
5394 for making two coffins for paupers as per bill on file
and properly certified

Ordered that J. D. McAnnaly be allowed $10,50 for
5412 board and care of pauper as per bill on file and properly
certified

Ordered that W. D. Myers be allowed $16,50 for
5413 medical attendence of paupers as per bill on file
and properly certified

Ordered that L. W Ricket UC/C be allowed two dollars
5414 and ten cents for ~~goods~~ shoes furnished paupers as
per bill on file and properly certified

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Ordered that J. M. Nimnich be allowed $11.60 for
5415 groceries furnished pauper as per bill filed and
properly certified.

Ordered that C. Widner be allowed eight dollars
5416 ($8.00) for keeping pauper as per bill filed and prop-
erly certified

Ordered that Jacob Brown be allowed one dollar
5417 ($1.00) for digging grave for pauper as per bill filed
and properly certified.

5418 Ordered that Adam Strick be allowed five dollars
for wood furnished paupers as per bill on file and
properly certified.

Ordered that B. B. Long be allowed $1.50 for carrying
5421 pauper to poor house as per bill on file and properly
certified

Ordered that Leonard Myers be allowed three
5422 dollars ($3.00) for cash advanced on account of pauper
as per bill on file and certified.

Ordered that L. D. Myers be allowed $4.50
5429 for services as Overseer of Poor Union Township as per
bill on file and certified.

Ordered that ~~Co~~ J. M. Richel be allowed $1.38
for shoes furnished Mrs. Woods Wife of Volunteer as
5431 per bill on file and certified

Ordered that J. M. Nimnich be allowed twenty
5432 eight dollars and forty nine cents ($28.49) for groceries
furnished families of volunteers as per bill on file
and properly certified

Ordered that Richel and Myers be allowed seven
5433 & 31/100 dollars ($7.31) for shoes furnished families of Volunteers
as per bill filed and properly certified.

Ordered that Lama Bogue be allowed eleven
5438 dollars ($11.00) for use of house for family of Volunteer
as per bill filed and properly certified.

Ordered that Leonard Myers be allowed five
5437 dollars ($5.00) cash advanced to move pauper from
County as per bill on file and properly certified.

Ordered that W. Hopkins be allowed three dollars
5440 and sixty seven cents ($3.67) for goods furnished family
of Volunteer as per bill on file and certified.

Ordered that Fred Krum be allowed sixteen dollars
5441 and eighty nine ($16.89) for meatpanes furnished families of
Volunteers as per bill on file and properly certified

March Term 1862 4th day

5383 Ordered that Norton Blake be allowed Eleven dollars and twelve cents ($11,12) for wood furnished families of Volunteers as per bills filed and properly certified three in number.

Ordered that G. M. Grant & Co. be allowed six dollars 5442 and nine cents ($6.09) for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per bills on file and properly certified three in number.

Ordered that M & A. Hale be allowed sixteen 5443 dollars and fifty seven cents ($16.57) for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per bills filed and duly certified four in number.

The Trustee of Newville presents his report of the receipts and expenditures of said township for the year ending March 1. 1862 which being satisfactory was accepted.

Ordered that The Trustee of Newville Township, A. N. Brown be allowed thirty two dollars and twenty five cents for services as Trustee for the year Ending March 1. 1862 to be paid out of the funds of said Township.

The Trustee of Union Township presents his annual report of the receipts and Expenditures of said Township for the year ending March 1st 1862 which being satisfactory is accepted.

Ordered that Leonard Myers be allowed Sixty three dollars for services as Trustee of Union for the year Ending March 1. 1862 to be paid out the funds of said Township.

The Trustee of Wilmington presents his annual report of the receipts and expenditures of said Township for the year Ending March 1. 1862 which being satisfactory is accepted.

Ordered that P. B. Simmons be allowed fifty dollars and twenty two cents 50.22 for services as Trustee of Wilmington Township for the year Ending March first 1862 to be paid out of the funds of said Township

The Trustee of Franklin presents his annual report of the receipt and Expenditures of said Township for the year Ending March 1st 1862. which being satisfactory is accepted.

Ordered that John Jackman be allowed thirty seven dollars and fifty cents for services as Trustee of Franklin for the year ending March 1st 1862 to be paid out of the funds of Said Township.

March Term 1862 2nd day

Ordered that J. L. Sherwood be allowed twelve dollars
5445 and eighty eight cents ($12.88) for goods furnished families
of Volunteers as per bill on file and duly certified

Ordered that John Thomas be allowed twenty
5444 dollars ($20.00) for care and keeping of pauper as per
bill on file.

Ordered that G. M. Maxwell be allowed nine dollars
5446 and five cents for goods furnished pauper as per bill
on file and certified.

Ordered that P. B. Nimmons be allowed two
5447 dollars and eighty seven cents for provisions furnished
family of Volunteer as per bill on file and certified

Ordered that P. B. Nimmons be allowed one dollar
5445 and fifty cents ($1.50) for services as overseer of Poor in
Wilmington Township as per bill on file

Ordered that P. B. Nimmons be allowed two
5453 dollars and nine cents ($2.09) for provisions furnished
pauper as per bill on file and certified.

Ordered that J. W. Case be allowed one dollar
5454 and twenty five cents ($1.25) for flour furnished family
of Volunteer as per bill on file and certified.

The Trustee of Smithfield presents his annual
report of the receipts and Expenditures of said Town-
ship for the year Ending March 1st 1862 which being
satisfactory is accepted.

Ordered that Freeman Kelly be allowed forty
Dollars & 50/100 for services as Trustee of Smithfield Township
for the year ending March 1st 1862 to be paid out of the
funds of said Township.

Ordered that A. Carpenter be allowed nine
5455 dollars $9.00 for medical attendance of pauper
as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Smithfield

Ordered that Edward Barker be allowed nine
5456 dollars ($9.00) for care and keeping of pauper as per bill
on file and properly certified.

Ordered that Jonathan Hall (Waterloo) be allowed
three Dollars ($3.00) for cash advanced as per bill on file
5457 money paid for Expenses in county Criminal

Ordered that Geo. Bunny Co. Treasurer be allowed
5458 $19.52 services as County Treasurer as per bill
on file.

Ordered that Geo. Bunny be allowed eight 49/100
5459 Dollars for cash advanced as per bill on file

March Term 1862 2nd day

Ordered A report of a road view in Smithfield is now presented to the Board which is in words and figures as follows. "Waterloo Jan 7th 1862
"We the Viewers appointed to view said road did on
"the seventh day of January 1862 proceed to view &
"locate said road as follows to wit
"Commencing at the point where the Ft Wayne &
"Cold Water Road leaves the Section line between
"Section 34 & 35 in Smithfield thence South on said
"Section line intersecting the township line Road
"between Smithfield & Union Townships & then terminate
"and vacate so much of the present Coldwater & Ft Wayne
"Road as crosses diagonally the Lands of John Schrontz
"& S McEndiffer the said Road to be the width of 40 feet
"as described in the Order we did view and mark
"out said rout and we the viewers report said
"Road favorable and of public utility
Signed "A. S. Leas James Barclay
Wm Lepley"

Order pass Ordered that the foregoing Report be accepted and the road and vacation therein described be established and that an order be issued for the same

5460 Ordered that A. S. Leas Wm Lepley and J. Barclay
5461 be each allowed one dollar ($1.00) for services
5462 viewing road.

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed Eleven
5429 dollars and Eighty five cents ($11.85) ~~cents~~ for cash Expenses in arresting Maria Myers as per bill on file.

Ordered that C. S. Hare be allowed thirteen dollars
5430 and Eighty seven cents ($13.87) for shoes &c furnished poor as per bill on file and certified by Co. Superintendent.

Ordered that S. W. Ralston be allowed twenty Eight
5420 dollars and sixty cents ($28.60) for goods furnished poor as per bill on file and duly certified.

Ordered that J. Ettinger be allowed Eight dollars
5395 ($8.00) for bedsteads furnished for Poor House as per bill on file and duly certified.

Ordered that N. F. Pine be allowed forty cents
5463 for medicines furnished for use of Poor as per bill on file and duly certified

Ordered that Samuel Headley be allowed four
No 1382 dollars for boots furnished Mrs Schamp wife of Volunteer as per bill on file.

March Term 1862 2nd day

The jurors appointed to view a certain Road in Jackson Township Report in words and figures as follows. "Jan-20th 1862."

"We the viewers appointed to view said Road "did on the 20th day of January 1862 proceed to review "said Road as follows to wit. Commencing sixty rods "west of the North East corner of Section Eighteen in Jackson "township thence East on the section line sixty rods. thence "North on the section line between sections seven and "Eight untill said section line strikes the bluff bank "of Cedar Creek thence Northwardly on said bluff bank "to the section line between sections five and Eight "thence to the South East corner of the South West quarter "of Section Eight and there to terminate.

"And we asess the damages which the location of said "road will be to the premises of A. P. Hastle at the "sum of forty Dollars. we the viewers report said not "favorable." Signed "Henry Sherlock."
"Jacob Bragg" viewers
"David Weaver"

And the Board on due consideration

Ordered that the damages asked in the foregoing Report shall not be allowed

5464 Ordered that Henry Sherlock Jacob Bragg and
5465 David Weaver be each allowed one dollar for
5466 services viewing road.

David Buchanan
Henry Funkelman
John Brandon

March Term 1862 3rd day

Wednesday morning March 5th 1862 Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday.

Ordered that an additional appropriation of Eighty dollars be made for building the Bridge across Cedar Creek at Hitman's Saw mill to be drawn on the order of John Brandon.

Ordered that Foster & Bro be allowed fifteen 75/100
5467 dollars for Stationary furnished County Officers. as per bill on file and duly certified.

Rev Edward Wright County Examiner presents his Statement for the first 3/4 of the years services ending March 1st 1862. which was accepted

March Term 1862 23d day

Ordered that the Rev Edward Wright be allowed the sum of twenty five dollars ($25.00) for services as Co Examiner to be paid out of the Special School Fund of the several Townships as follows Sutton $1,47 Jackson
4295 to 4307 $7.01 Concord $7.76 Newville $6.89 Stafford $4.01 Wilmington 6.26 Union $4.76 Richland $11.25 Pairfield $4.76 Smithfield $4.47 Franklin $4.76 Troy $4.76 Town of Auburn $3.26 as per bill of said Co Examiner on file.

Ordered that an appropriation of twenty Dollars
130 be made to apply toward paying for Lectures for the Teachers Institute of De Kalb County to be drawn on the order of the Treasurer of said Institute

The Trustee of Jackson Township presents his annual report of the receipts and Expenditures of said Township for the year Ending March 1st 1862. which being satisfactory is accepted

Ordered that J. C. Elson be allowed fifty five dollars and fifty cents ($55,50) for services as Trustee of Jackson Township for the year ending March 1. 1862. to be paid out of the funds of said Township

The Trustee of Pairfield Township presents his annual report of the receipts and Expenditures of said Township for the year ending March 1. 1862 which being satisfactory is accepted.

Ordered that Henry Earnest be allowed fifty two dollars and fifty cents ($52,50) for services as Trustee of Pairfield Township for the year Ending March 1. 1863 to be paid out of the funds of said Township.

Ordered that Henry Earnest be allowed three Dollars
5468 for services as overseer of Poor &c as per bill on file.

A Report of a road view is now presented which is in words and figures as follows. "Feb 4th 1862."

"We the viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 11st day of February 1862 proceed to view said road as follows to wit Commencing at a point between Sections three and four in Jackson Township of said County where the highway leading from Auburn to Spencerville intersects said line thence north on said line 10 chains & 85 links to a post. Witness ash thirty inches South 87° West 58 links. Thence north 2 1/4° East four chains 22 links to a post. Witness red oak 22 inches north 32° East 44 links thence north 35° West until it intersects said Sutton line thence north on the section line until it intersects the Township line. (Variations taken at the needle readings) as described in the Order.

March Term 1862 3rd day

We did lay out said road of the width of forty feet and we the viewers Report said road favorable and of public utility Signed J. M Bostchins } viewers
Jacob S Paulmer }
Daniel Linty }
D. M. Altenberg } surveyor

Ordered that the foregoing Report be accepted and that road therein described be established and that an Order be ipsued for the opening of the same.

Ordered that J. M. Bostchins be allowed two dollars and Jacob S. Paulmer and Daniel Linty each one dollar for viewing road Also that D. M. Altenberg be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for services surveying road.

The viewers appointed to view two routs for roads in Richland Township Report in words and figures as follows. "Feb 5th 1862." We the Reviewers appointed to view said roads did on the fifth day of February 1862 proceed to review and locate said roads as follows to wit commencing twenty rods East of the North west corner of the North East quarter of Section No 7 thence South 44 rods thence East 18 rods thence South 31 1/4 rods to the road leading from Lisbon to Auburn. Also a rout for a road described as follows to wit commencing at the quarter post on the south line of Section 17 thence North on the quarter lines three miles. We did review on the said 5th day of February the first rout as described in the order and report said road unfavorable and not of public utility. And the second rout as described in the order We did review and we the Reviewers Report said road favorable and of public utility Signed "Joshua Feagler" } viewers
"John Davis"
"Jacob S. Paulmer"

Ordered that all the proceedings in relation to the foregoing described roads be and are hereby set aside as being illegal.

Ordered that Joshua Feagler John Davis Jacob S. Paulmer be each allowed the sum of two dollars for services viewing roads.

A petition is now presented to the Board praying for a road view which is in words and figures a follows To the Honorable Commissioners of De Kalb County Indiana We the undersigned citizens of said County would respectfully Petition your honorable

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body to Locate and Establish a Public Highway described as follows to wit Commencing at the quarter post on the south side of section thirty three in Township thirty five (Fairfield) Thence north on the quarter line of said Section to the north line thereof, thence north through on the quarter line of said section Twenty Eight (28) until it intersects the Highway running East and west at the corner of Lands owned by George Dowley and Philip Gushwa and there end said road running between Lands owned by Jesse M Brumback, George Dumpes, Samuel Klayman Mrs. Robison William Lutz James McCullough Heirs, George Klayman John McCullough and unknown Owner said highway to be thirty feet wide December 26th 1861

Signed by Samuel Klayman William Lutz & others

And the Board being satisfied that the proper legal notice had been given grant the prayer of the Petitioners and appoint Harrison Jones Henry Willis and Henry Dunmit viewers on said road for a road to report ant the June Session of the Board 1862.

certificate issued

The Board now proceed in manner and form prescribed by Law to select Twelve Grand Jurors for the April Term of the De Kalb Circuit Court And the following named persons being one from Each Civil Township were drawn for said Grand Jury for said April Term 1862. by C. C. C.

From Butler Township	Robert Work	Jackson Township	Philip Rule
" Concord	Alphens Dragoo	Neville "	Henry Akins
" Stafford	Henry Wanemaker	Wilmington	Alonzo Finny
" Union	Jacob Cupp	Richland	L. D. Britton
" Fairfield	George Dumpes	Smithfield	Jonas McEndaffer
" Franklin	Samuel Jones	Troy	C. C. Everts

And in the same manner the following named persons were selected as a Grand Jury for the October Term 1862 of said Circuit Court.

From Butler Township	D. F. Hoffman	from Jackson	Joseph Watters
" Concord "	John Engle	" Neville	Samuel Headley
" Stafford "	Frederic Hoffman	" Wilmington	Andrew Snaith
" Union "	Abram McEntafer	" Richland	Samuel Swihart
" Fairfield "	David Reichechl	" Smithfield	Robert Lockhart
" Franklin "	Miles Waterman	" Troy	A. S Casebeer

March Session 1862 8th day

The following Taxes were levied in the several Townships
Butler Township for the Year 1862 by the
Board of Commissioners and Trustees of said Township.

Township Tax (Civil) on each 100 dollars valuation	6 cents
Road " on each 100 dollars valuation	15 cents
and 1/4 cents on each acre of Land	
Special School on each 100 dollars valuation	25 cents
on each taxable Poll	50 "

Jackson Township

For civil township purposes on each 100 dollars valuation	5 cents
do Road on each 100 dollars valuation	15 cents
and on each acre of Land	1/4 cents
Special School on each 100 dollars valuation	25 cents
and on each taxable Poll	50 cents

Concord Township

For civil Township purposes on each 100 dollar valuation	5 cents
Road on each 100 dollars valuation	15 cents
and on each acre of Land	1/4 cents
Special School on each 100 dollars valuation	25 cents
and on each taxable Poll	50 cents

Newville Township

For Civil Township purposes on the taxable property of Tp	$ 75.00
Road on each 100 dollars valuation	15 cents
on each acre of Land	1/4 cents
Special School on each 100 dollars valuation	25 cents
and on each taxable Poll	50 cents

Stafford Township

For Civil Township purpose on the property of the Township	40 dollars
" Road, on each 100 dollars valuation	15 cents
and on each acre of Land	1/4 cents

Wilmington Township

Road tax on each 100 dollars valuation	15 cents
and on each acre of Land	1/4 cents
Special School on each 100 dollars valuation	25 cents
and on each taxable Poll	50 cents

Union Township

For Civil Township purposes on each 100 dollars valuation	10 cents
Road tax on each 100 dollars valuation	15 cents
and on each acre of Land	1/4 cents
Special School on each 100 dollars valuation	25 cents
and on each taxable Poll	50 cents

Town of Auburn

Special School Tax on each 100 dollars valuation	25 cents
and on Each taxable Poll	50 cents

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Richland Township

For Township purposes on the taxable property of the Township	$100.00
Road tax on each 100 dollars valuation	115
on each acre of Land	01¼
Special School on each 100 valuation	110

Fairfield Township

For Township purposes on each 100 dollars valuation	5 cents
Road tax on each 100 dollars valuation	15 cents
and on each acre of Land	1¼ cents
Special School on each 100 dollars valuation	25 cents
and on each Poll	50 cents

Smithfield Township

For Township purposes on the taxable property of the Township	$60.00
Road tax on each 100 dollars valuation	115
and on each acre of Land	01¼
Special School on each 100 dollars valuation	25
and on each taxable Poll	50

Franklin Township

For Township purposes on the taxable property of the Township	$100.00
Road tax on each 100 dollars valuation	115
and on each acre of Land	01¼
Special School on each 100 dollars valuation	125
and on each Poll	50

Troy Township

For road purposes on each 100 dollars valuation	15 cents
and on each acre of Land	1¼ cents
Special School on each 100 dollars valuation	25 cents
and on each taxable Poll	50 cents

Adjourned. David Buchanan, Henry Funkelman, John Brandau } Commissioners

March Term 1862 4th day

Thursday March 6th 1862 the Board of Commissioners after visiting and inspecting the Poor House and farm met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday. Adjourned to tomorrow morning. David Buchanan, Henry Funkelman, John Brandau } Com—

March Term 1862 5th day

Friday morning March 7th 1862 Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed Eight dollars and 5496 twelve cents ($8.12) for services as Auditor as per bill on file

March Term A. D. 1862 7th day

Ordered that John Brandon be allowed two
5388 dollars ($2.00) for services as Superintendent of bridge
across West branch of Cedar Creek as per bill on file.

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed ninty seven dollars
5377 and seventy five cents for services as Auditor making
Abepors for 1862 Delinquent List &c. as per bill on file
and duly certified.

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed $18.65 for services
5478 as Auditor (Miscellaneous) as per bill on file and
duly certified.

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed sixty six
5449 dollars and seven cents ($66.07) for services as Auditor
issuing Quietuses, Co. Orders, registering Receipts &c
as per bill on file and duly certified.

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed one dollar and
5477 fifty five cents ($1.55) for cash advanced for oil, sugar
&c as per bill on file and duly certified.

Ordered that J. D. Davis be allowed two dollars
5480 and five cents ($2.05) for oil for 7 fires as per bill on file and duly certified.

Ordered that Joseph Maxwell be allowed four
hundred and sixty nine Dollars and eighty six cents
5384 ($469.86) for boarding paupers and for house hold
furniture provisions &c purchased for use of Poor house
as per bill on file and duly certified.

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed twenty
one dollars and thirty cents ($21.30) for services as Sheriff in
5424 serving Notices summoning jury &c as per bill on file
and duly certified.

Ordered that the years service of Joseph Maxwell as
Superintendent of Co. Asylum shall Extend from the
6th of March 1862 to the 6th of March 1863. instead of
from and to the first days of said months as per agreement
made on this 7th day of March 1862.

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed thirteen
5425 dollars for services as Sheriff for boarding prisoners &c
as per bill on file and duly certified.

5426 Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed thirty
one dollars for 5/100 for medical services for poor of County
as per bill on file, and duly certified.

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed the
5427 sum of eleven dollars and fifty cents ($11.50) as per bill
on file for medical attendence on prisoners.

Ordered that Lewis Probert be allowed five dollars
5450 and seventy five cents ($5.75) for wood furnished Mrs Plummer

March Sess. 1862 6th day

nuse of volunteers as per bill on file.

Ordered that S. B. Dickinson be allowed nine
5419 dollars for printing done for County as per bill
on file and duly certified.

Ordered that J. C. Loveland be allowed thirty four
5436 dollars and five cents ($34.05) for services publishing
5437 Delinquent List of 1862 as per bill on file.

Ordered that J. C. Loveland be allowed one dollar and
5437 fifty cents for printing done for county as per bill on file
and duly certified.

A report is presented of a road view which
is in words and figures as follows. "Feb- 4th 1862."
" We the Reviewers appointed to view said Road did on
" the fourth day of February 1862 proceed to view said
" Road as follows to-wit Commencing on the quarter post
" East side of Section thirty Union Township thence north
" to the North East corner of the south half of
" the North East quarter of Section thirty thence west through
" the middle of said North East quarter on the line between the
" Lands of Jonathan Hall and Enos Weaver untill it intersects
" the road now travelled East of Daniel Briggs as described
" in the order. We George Wolf Timothy Mc Cline & Abraham
" Mc Entarfer did review and mark out said road and we
" the Reviewers report said Road unfavorable and of no public
" utility. Signed, " George Wolf A. Mc Entarfer & Timothy Mc Cline"

Ordered that the foregoing Report be accepted and
5481 that George Wolf A. Mc Entarfer be allowed one dollar
5482 Each and Timothy Mc Cline two dollars ($2.00) for services
5483 viewing road.

Ordered that H. C. Decker be and hereby is selec-
Only ju[illegible] ted as a Student to the University of the State of Indiana
from De Kalb County agreeable to Sec 10 page 506 Revised Statutes 1852

A report is now presented to the Board which is in
words and figures as follows "Auburn Ind- Jan- 20, 1862."
We the viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 20
day of January 1862 proceed to view Locate and vacate
said Roads as follows to-wit Commencing at the Butler
Township Line at the south west corner of the North West
quarter of section 7 in Jackson Township in De Kalb County
Indiana thence running East on the South Line of said
quarter section to the centre line of said quarter section
(north & south) and also to vacate so much of the highway
that now runs angling across said quarter section
as described in the order We Angzi Neely John Meece
& Jacob Dils did view and mark out said road and we

the viewers Report said road favorable and of general public utility said road to be of the width of Sixty feet-
Signed "Wm Seely, John Reece, Jacob Dills"
And a remonstrance against the location of the road described in the foregoing Report is laid before the Board which is in words and figures as follows (Here insert) signed by A. Lockwood Henry Treaglen and others.
And Robert Work by his Attorney, filed a motion to strike from the files the said remonstrance which motion is in words and figures as follows (Here insert) and the Board overrule said motion (to which the Pltf & Petitioners at the time Excepted) and appoint Edward N. Taylor L. D. Carter and P. B. Simmons viewers on said road, said viewers to report ordered at the next regular meeting of the Board. and the Board designate the 8th day of May 1862 for such views.

5396 Ordered that J. Ellinger be allowed $8.00 for making coffin for panther

Ordered that J. C Loveland be allowed one dollar

5295 on New Era one year for Auditor's Office as per bill on file

Ordered that Jacob Shull be allowed Six dollars

5434 and twenty five cents ($6.25) for potatoes furnished for use of County Asylum as per bill on file

5414 Ordered that the following allowances be made to widows
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5417
5418 of volunteers. (as per bills on file. to Mrs. B. Robe $9.00 Mrs.
5419 D. Andrews $15.00 Mrs J. Abels $15.00 Mrs H. Abels $9.00 Mrs
5409 Mrs Milliman $9.00 Mrs Henry Milliman $6.00

5385 Ordered that David Buchanan Henry Tuplerman
5386 and John Brandon be each allowed fifteen dollars ($15.00)
5387 for services as Commissioners at the present Session

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed ten dollars
5428 ($10.00) for services as Sheriff at present Session.

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed $19.75 for services as
5493 Auditor at present Session as per bill on file

5490 Ordered that A. Seely John Reece and Jacob Dills
5491
5492 be allowed two dollars each for services viewing road

Ordered that the Auditor be authorized to order the Cincinnati Dollar Weekly Times for use of County infirmary. Adjourned.

David Buchanan
Henry Tuplerman
John Brandon

April Special Sepion 1862

Special Sepion Wednesday April 16th 1862 The Board of Commipioners ~~Co~~ Dekalb Co Ind Met for the purpose of taking into consideration the condition of the wounded and sick Soldiers from this County Present Henry Fupelman and John Brandon Com—

Ordered that there be an appropriation of Two hundred dollars be made for the apistance and in bringing home and taking care of the sick and wounded soldiers from this County who may need such apistance to be drawn on the order of J. N. Chamberlain at such times and in such sums as he may deem expedient

Henry Fupelman
John Brandon

(200.00)

May Special Sepion A. D. 1862

Pursuant to Notice from the Auditor The Board of Commipioners of De Kalb County Ind met at the Court House to hear and decide a case of Contested Election wherein John Johnson and Jacob B. Hoover are contestors and Timothy Mc Clure defendent. Present David Buchanan Henry Fupelman and John Brandon Commipioners. J. N. Chamberlain Sheriff and A. J. Kent Auditor and Clerk of Board

The Board being organized the following proceeding was had.

John Johnson &
Jacob B. Hoover
vs
Timothy Mc Clure
} Contested Election Office of Trustee of Union Township De Kalb Co Ind

Comes now the contestors and present their statement heretofore filed in this behalf which statement is in these words and figures (h— i—)

The contestee now makes his motion to dismiss the case which motion is in words and figures as follows (h— i—) which motion is overruled. ~~Comes~~ and the contestee now files his demurrer which is in words and figures as follows (h— i—) which demurrer is overruled. And the contestee now files his answer in three paragraphs which is in words and figures as follows (same insert) to which second and third paragraph the contestors demurr which demurrer is sustained.

And the issue being joined and the evidence ~~having been submitted to the Court~~ in the case having been submitted the Court find that at the Township Election held in Union Township in De Kalb County on the first Monday of April

1862 Isaac Rutzner received a majority of all the votes cast for the Office of Township Trustee of said Township and the Court thereupon decide that the said Rutzner is legally Elected to said Office. And ordered that a certificate be issued to said Rutzner by the Auditor And thereupon the Contestee takes his appeal to the De Kalb Circuit Court and files his Bond to the acceptance of the Board of Commissioners which Bond is in words and figures as follows (See ante)

And the Court ordered that the costs in this case be charged against the Contestee

5627, 5628 Ordered that David Buchanan, Henry Tapelman and
5629 John Brandon be each allowed three dollars for services as Commissioners at the present Session.

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed two dollars
5630 for services as Sheriff at present Session.

Ordered H. W. Slater be allowed the sum of sixty Eight
5626 dollars for building Bridge at Newville as per bill on file by H. Tapelman

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed two dollars for
5631 services as Clerk at present Session.

David Buchanan
Henry Tapelman
John Brandon

John Johnson &
Jacob Bellmore
vs.
Timothy McClure
} Contested Election

Fees in said case

Witness Fees
John McClure one day .75

June Term A. D. 1863 1st day

Monday morning June 2nd 1863 Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment Present David Buchanan Henry Fupelman and John Brandon Commissioners J. N. Chamberlain Sheriff and A. J. Hunt Auditor

The Board of Equalization met present David Buchanan Henry Fupelman and John Brandon Commissioners A. J. Hunt Auditor Samuel Hauver A. D. Gustchews, John Chellis, Alva Lawrence Jacob Crise, Elihu Ocker Jacob Willard William McIntyre John Reinoehl Cris Danks W. H. Dimm and W. R. Emerson Assessors.

And said Board having been duly qualified by the Clerk of the circuit Court proceeded to business

Ordered by the Board that the improvements on Lot No. 124 O.P. Waterloo be put at $100.00.

On motion Ordered by the Board that any Poll Tax that may be charged against soldiers in the service of the United States be released.

On motion the Board adjourned to tomorrow morning at 9 o clock

Tuesday morning The Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday. All matters before the Board being disposed of on motion the Board of Equalization adjourned sine die

David Buchanan
Henry Fupelman } Com-
John Brandon

Samuel Hauver	A. D. Gustchews	H. Chellis
Alva Lawrence	Jacob Crise	Elihu Ocker
Jacob Willard	William McIntyre	John Reinoehl
Cris Danks	Wm H Dimm	W R Emerson Assrs

A. J. Hunt Aud—

The Board of Commissioners now being in regular session the several Township Assessors presented their bills and were allowed as follows. Samuel Hauver $38.25 A. D. Gustchews $35.25 J. A. Chellis $45.00 Alva Lawrence $21.00 Jacob Crise $23.25 Elihu Ocker $48.75 Jacob Willard $61.50 Wm McIntyre $52.25 John Reinoehl $57.00 Cris Danks $36.75 W. H. Dimm $26.00 W. R. Emerson $25.50.

June Term A. D. 1862 2nd day

Ordered that S. H. Hoffman be allowed five dollars and eighty five cent ($5.85) for expenses &c in removing pauper from the 31
County as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Butler Township

Ordered that George Barney be allowed sixty cents (.60) for oil and &c furnished Treas. Office as per 32
bill on file and duly certified.

James Quince comes in open Court and presents his petition asking for a License to vend Spirituous vinous & malt Liquors in less quantity than a quart in his building situated on Lot No 1 Disles Addition to the Town of Comunna and the said Quince having produced to the Board sufficient Evidence that the proper Notice had been given by publication in a Newspaper having general circulation in the County and further that he was possessed of the qualifications required by Law as to character &c.

James Quince Ordered that James Quince be allowed granted a
June 9th 1862 License to vend Spirituous vinous and malt Liquors on his Lot in Comunna No 1 Disles Addition under the provisions of an Act of the Legislature authorizing the granting of Licenses to vend intoxicating Liquors in less quantities than a quart Approved March 5th 1859

Joseph Beck comes now in open Court and presents his petition asking for a License to vend Spirituous vinous & malt Liquors in less quantity than a quart in his building on Lot No. 6 Butler Danforth's Addition

And the said Beck having produced to the Board sufficient evidence that the proper Notice had been given by publication in a Newspaper having general circulation in the County And further that he possessed the qualifications required by Law as to character &c.

Ordered that Joseph Beck be granted a License to vend Spirituous vinous & malt Liquors in quantities less than a quart in his building situated on Lot No. 6 Danforth's addition to the Town of Butler under the provisions of an act of the Legislature authorizing the the granting of Licenses to vend intoxicating Liquors Approved March 5 1859

Charles Schimpf comes Now in open Court and petitions for a License to vend Spirituous vinous and malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart in his building situated on Lot No 46 in the Town of Waterloo. And the said Schimpf

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And the said Schimpf having produced sufficient evidence that the proper Notice had been given by publication in a Newspaper having a general circulation in the County and further that the said Schimpf possed the qualifications required by Law as to character &c.

Ordered that Charles Schimpf be granted a License to vend Spirituous malt and vinous Liquors in quantities less than a quart in his building situated on Lot No 46 in the Young Waterloo under the provision of an act regulating the sale of intoxicating Liquors Approved March 5th 1859.

Ordered that twenty five dollars be appropriated 566 for the construction of a bridge across the Outlet of Eagles 567 Lake in Richland Township to be expended under the 568 supervision of John Brandon

Ordered that fifty Dollars be appropriated for the 115 construction of a bridge across Duck Creek in Stafford $36.00 Township to be expended under the supervision of Henry Fufelman.

Ordered that Samuel Slayman be allowed two dollars 48 for taking a pauper to the Poor house as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Fairfield.

Ordered that John Thomas be allowed twenty Dollars 43 ($20,00) for keeping his brother Henry Thomas a pauper as per bill on file.

Ordered that two hundred and fifty Dollars 227 ($250,00) be and is hereby appropriated for the construction 228 of a bridge across Blake's Run in Concord Township near the 229 grave yard south of Spencerville to be expended under the supervision of Henry Fufelman

The Constitution of the Concord Rangers is presented and and approved in open Court

Ordered that J. N. Miller be allowed thirty two 20 Dollars and ninety two cents ($32.92) for keeping and board of Ariel Walden a Co- charge as per bill on file

Ordered that O. C Houghton be allowed two Dollars $2.00 44 for corn meal furnished wife of Volunteer as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Wilmington.

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Ordered that Samuel Lutes be allowed four dollars
10 and fifty cents for care and keeping of pauper as per
bill on file.

Ordered that J. Beck be allowed two dollars
60 ($2.00) for flour &c furnished pauper as per bill on file Trustee
of Wilmington

Ordered that W. K. Straight be allowed
61 $5.62 for goods furnished Poor as per bill on file.

Ordered that William Monroe be allowed $9.75 for care
62 and board of J. R. Culbertson a county charge as per bill
on file certified by Trustee of Concord Tp

Ordered that J. M. Rex be allowed one hundred and
22 thirty seven dollars ($137.00) for goods furnished soldiers
families as per bills on file and certified by Trustees
of Newville and Wilmington

Ordered that J. W. Case be allowed five dollars ($5.00) for
65 flour furnished family of soldier as per bill on file

23 Ordered that N. L. Thomas be allowed five dollars ($5.00) for
goods furnished family of soldier as per bill on file.

Ordered that Daniel Altenberg be allowed four dollars
66 and fifty cents for work done for family of soldier as per bill on file certified by Trustee
of Wilmington

Ordered that Josiah Meeks be allowed ten dollars $10.00
47 for goods furnished family of soldier as per bill on
file

Ordered that B. S. Chaffee & Co be allowed twenty
17 nine dollars ($29.00) for goods furnished families of soldiers
as per bills on file

Ordered that Bean and Tompkins
be allowed seven dollars for flour furnished families
20 of soldiers as per bills on file and certified by Trustee
of Richland.

Ordered that Samuel Wyatt be allowed ten
24 dollars $10.00 for care and board of pauper for one year as per bill on file
and a certified by Trustee of Concord Tp.

Ordered that J. L. Bryden be allowed six dollars and twenty
21 five cents as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Richland
for medical attendance on pauper

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Ordered that William Sheets be allowed fifty six dollars
32 and forty five cents $56.45 for stationary furnished for use
of County as per bill on file and duly certified.

Ordered that S. M. Wiley be allowed $2.34 for summons
33 furnished for use of Recorders Office as per bill on file
and certified by Recorder.

Ordered that George Barney
79 be allowed forty three dollars and twenty six cents for
services as County Treasurer as per bill on file.

A Petition is now presented to the Board pray for a road
view in Richland Tp which is in words and figures as
follows. "To the Board of Commissioners of De Kalb County
"Indiana. We the undersigned resident citizens of
"De Kalb County would pray your honorable board to
"appoint viewers to view a rout for a ~~road~~ public
order "highway described as follow Commencing at the south East
ignd "corner of Section fourteen (14) in Richland Township in
"said Co. thence west on the section line between sections
"fourteen and twenty three to the west line of said sections
"and there terminate Signed Joshua Peaglen and others
And on due consideration the Board grant the prayer
of the Petitioners and

Ordered that Isaac Butzner John
1 Davis and Joshua Hoffman be appointed viewers on
the rout for a road described in the foregoing Petition
to the report at the next regular meeting of the Board

Ordered that Henry Pupelman be allowed one dollar
25 ($1.00) for services superintending Bridge as per bill on file

Ordered that Henry Pupelman be allowed two dollars
24 and fifty for cash advanced for wood furnished family of
Soldier

Ordered that an appropriation of fifty dollars
($50.00) be made for the construction of a bridge across a stream
near Samuel Hendersons in Jackson Township on the road lead-
ing from Spencerville to Cedar Creek to be Expended under
the supervision of Henry Pupelman

A Petition is now presented to the Board asking for
the vacation of a road in Jackson Township which is in
words and figures as follows
"To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of De Kalb

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County Indiana your petitioners represent that a part of the road leading from the saw mill of John A Ditmars in Jackson Township to the road running North and South in the East part of Richland Township is not of public utility and your petitioners ask the Board to appoint viewers to vacate so much of said road as lies between Michael Logue's house and Mc Bride's saw mill on middle Cedar Creek in Jackson Township the said road runs on the land of John A. Ditmars William Mc Bride and William Grube in section six in Jackson Township in said County." Signed William Grube & others, and on mature consideration the Board grant the prayer of the petitioners and appoint James Brisuela J. R. Miller and S. B. Ward viewers on said proposed vacation. to report at the next regular meeting of the Board, Adjourned

David Buchanan
Henry Funkhouser
John Brandon

Wednesday morning June 4th 1862 Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday.

34 Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed ten dollars ($10,00) for medical attendance of paupers as per bill on file and duly certified.

35 Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed thirty three dollars and fifty cents ($33.50) for boarding prisoners as per bill on file and certified by Sheriff.

36 Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of thirty dollars for summoning jurors as per bill on file and duly certified.

37 Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed five dollars and ninty cents ($5,90) for notifying Road viewers as per bill on file and duly certified.

38 Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed two dollars and eighty cents ($2,80) for notifying Commissioners special Term as per bill on file and duly certified.

39 Ordered that Wm Mence be allowed four dollars $4,00 for his services as constable in case of Inquest as per bill on file

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Ordered that Stiefel and Wolf be allowed twenty three
68 dollars and twenty five cents ($20.25) for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per bills on file and duly certified.

Ordered that

The report of a road view in Richland Township is presented to the Board which is in words and figures as follows.

"April 21st 1862

"We the viewers appointed to view said road did on the "21st day of April 1862 proceed to view said and locate said "road as follow to wit Commencing at the south west corner "of the North west fourth of the South East quarter of Section one (1) "in Richland Township thence south on the quarter line to "the south line of said section and there terminate said "road to be twenty feet in width. We did view said "road and we the viewers report said Road favorable "and of Private utility." Signed L. D. Button J. N. Brumbach "and John Lipsitt. And the Board accept the foregoing Report and order the same to be Entered on the Record.

Henry Willis now presents his remonstrance against the location of the foregoing described private road. Which Remonstrance is in words and figures as follows

"To the Hon. Board of Com'rs of De Kalb County Ind. The "undersigned remonstrates against the location of a private "on the east line of his land the same being the East line of "the South West quarter Sec. one (1) in Richland Township. "And the undersigned declares that the location of said road "will damage his premises to the amount of twenty five "dollars and he asks the Board to appoint viewers to "appraise the damages which said road will be to his the "undersigned's premises." "Henry Willis."

And on due deliberation the Board Ordered that before the establishment of the foregoing described road a review shall be had and the Board appoint J. N. Miller, D. B. Wood and Wyllys Griswold such ~~Such~~ reviewers to meet on the last Monday in June 1862 and proceed to view said road and not and assess the damages if any which said road will be to the said Henry Willis and report at the next regular meeting of the Board

Ordered that Edward Wright Co Examiner be allowed the sum of twenty five dollars ($25.00) for services as Co Examiner for the last ½ of the past year to be paid from the special School Fund of the several townships as follows.

62 to 114 Butler $3.34 $2.16 Jackson $2.58 Concord $1.09 Newville $2.46

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Stafford $3.34 Wilmington $1.84 Huron $1.84 Richland $0.79 Fairfield $0.84 Smithfield $1.84 Franklin $2.69 Troy $1.84 Auburn $1.09.

92,93,94 Ordered that L. D. Britton J. M. Drumback and John Lapsitt be each allowed one dollar $1.00 for services viewing private road in Richland Township

A Report of a road view in Fairfield Township is presented to the Board which is in words and figures as follows.

Richland DeKalb Co. May 26. 1862

We the viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 26th day of May 1862 proceed to view and lay out the within road to the width of 20 feet said Road as follows to-wit Commencing at the quarter Post on the South side of Section thirty three in Fairfield Township thence north on the quarter line of said Section to the north line thence through on the quarter line of Section Twenty Eight until it intersects the highway running East and west at the corner of land owned by George Brownley and Philip Bushwa and there terminates and report the same to be of Public utility said road to be 20 feet wide. We did view and mark out said road and as described in the order signed Henry Willis. Hanson Jones, Henry Dimit."

and the Board accept the foregoing Report and Order the road therein described to be established and an order to be issued for its being opened.

89 Ordered that Henry Willis be allowed $1.50 and Hanson
90 Jones and Henry Dimit each one dollar $1.00 for services
91 viewing road.

~~Ordered~~ Joseph Wood comes and in open Court and Asks the board to grant him a license to retail intoxicating Liquors in his grocery on Lot No 40 Waterloo and having produced to the Board sufficient Evidence that the proper ~~evidence~~ Notice had been given by publication in a Newspaper having general circulation in the County and further that the said Wood possessed the necessary qualifications as to character &c. It was

Ordered that a License be granted to John Wood to vend Spirituous vinous and malt liquors in quantities less than a quart in his grocery on Lot No. 40 Waterloo under the provisions of an act Authorizing and regulating the sale of intoxicating Liquors Approved March 5. 1859

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"A Petition is now presented to the Board praying for a "view on a road in Fairfield Township which is in words "and figures as follows to-wit

"To the honorable Board of Commissioners of De Kalb County "Indiana, The undersigned freeholders of Fairfield Township "of said County Pray your Honorable body to grant a review "on the road running North and South from the County line "to Lawrence, and change so much of said road as runs "through the lands of George Putt and John Amstett so "as to straighten said road, To commence at or near the order opened "line between William Bits and George Putt thence South "with the West road as made by said Putt to the South "line of Section One thence South bearing East with "said new road till it intersects the old road on "the land of said John Amstutt and William Wistell thence "Continue on the old track there terminate and your "humble petitioners will Ever pray May 7th 1862."

signed John Amstett and others.

And the board being satisfied that the proper Legal Notice had been given grant the prayer of the petitioners and

Ordered that Joseph Johnson George Prowley and Samuel Nisey be appointed viewers on the road described in the foregoing Petition to report at the next regular meeting of the Board

Ordered that Dr Pannyton be allowed twenty one dollars and fifty cents ($21,50) for medical attendance 58 of Polly Lock a pauper as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Union Township

Ordered that Samuel Goodwin be allowed twenty dollars for care and board 59 of Polly Lock a pauper as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Union Township

The viewers appointed on a certain road for a road in the Township line between Fairfield and Smithfield Report in words and figures as follow.

"We the viewers appointed to view said road did on the "12th day of April 1862 proceed to view said road as follows "to-wit. Commencing at the South East corner of Section thirty "six (36) Fairfield Township and the South West corner of "Section thirty one (31) Smithfield Township in said County "thence North on the line between said Township to the

North line of the aforesaid sections and consider the same of Public utility and lay the same at the width of thirty feet Signed David Rager Valentine Weever and Abraham Bup."

And the Board accept the report of said viewers and establish the road described in said report and Order the proper Township Trustees to be Notified of the same

Ordered that David Rager Valentine Weever and
95,96,97. Abraham Bup be each allowed one dollar $1.00 for services viewing road.

The viewers appointed to view a certain road in Jackson Township described as follows in the order commencing at the South west corner of the North West quarter of section seven in said Township and running thence East on the south line of said quarter section to the centre line of said section North and South Also to vacate so much of the Auburn and Fort Wayne road described as croping diagonally the North West quarter of Section seven. Report to the Commissioners in words and figures as follows.

"We the viewers herein appointed to view the within described road did on the 8th day of May 1862 proceed to view the same and report that said location and vacation are of Public Utility L. D. Britton P. B Simmons E. H. Taylor" Robert Work one of the petitioners moves the the proceedings be set aside on said remonstrance in their words [illegible] which motion the Board overruled,

And the Board ordered that the report be accepted and

Whereon Robert Work by his attorney gives notice of appeal from the decision of the board in the foregoing report &c-

97. to 101. Ordered that L. D. Britton. P. B. Simmons & E. H. Taylor be each allowed $2.00 for road views

A petition is now presented to the Board asking for for a road view in Richland which is in words and figures as follows, "To the Honorable Board of Commissioners for De Kalb County and State of Indiana We the undersigned freeholders of the County of De Kalb and State of Indiana would respectfully Petition you to lay out and locate a public highway described as follows to wit. Commencing at the quarter post on the south line of section nineteen thence north on the quarter line through said section (19) to the quarter Post on the south line of section Eighteen, thence north on the quarter line of said section 18 to the Quarter Post

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on the south side of Section seven thence North on the quarter line of said section (7) to the quarter Post on the North line of said Section seven and there to end. The same being in township Thirty four North of Range Twelve East. signed by Levi Brown and others

And the Board being satisfied that the proper legal notice had been given &c grant the prayer of the petitioners and appoint George Wolf Abraham Mc Coy and John Schrantz to view said rout for a road and report at the next regular meeting of the board

Order issued

A petition for a road in Richland is presented in word and figures as follows

To the Honorable board of Commissioners of De Kalb County Indiana We the undersigned resident freeholders of Richland Township in said County and state ask of your honorable body the location of a public highway commencing twenty three rods East of the North West corner of the of the North east quarter of Section Seven Township No Thirty four north of Range Twelve East in said County thence South Eighty rods thence East Eighteen rods thence South to the State road leading from Auburn De Kalb County to Lisbon Noble Indiana said road to be located on the line of said road as heretofore located by Christian Sheets & Myers Witmer & Grube or as nigh as practicable said road to be located through the land owned by Michael Kline Joseph Kirkpatrick J. R. Hall & Horatio Blake and to be thirty feet in width. Believeing that said road would be of Public utility. We therefore ask of your honors that action be had thereon at your June Sepion 1862 a road can not be located on the quarter line of said described land land. We therefor ask the location as above described Richland Township De Kalb Co. Ind March 6 1862 signed by Michal Kline and others.

And the Board being satisfied that the proper legal notice had been given, grant the prayer of the petitioners and appoint George Wolf Abram Mc Coy and John Schrantz to view said rout for a road and report at the next regular meeting of the Board.

Order issued June Session 1862

A Petition for a road in Fairfield T-p is now presented to the Board which is in words and figures as follows

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of De Kalb County ~~Indiana~~ Indiana Your humble Petitioners resident of Fairfield Township in said County pray your honorable

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Body to grant a view of an alteration and vacation of a road running North west through Abraham Bush's said alteration to commence sixty rods North of Fairfield Centre thence north on the line Between N Bush and Moses Bowsers land to the corner of said land thence west on the line between A. Bush and John Chasey untill it intersects the old road running North west." And the Board being satisfied that the proper Notice had been given grant the prayer of the Petitioners and appoint James Scotching Hemon Bangs and L. D. Britton to view said proposed ~~alteration~~ road as described in the petition to make report thereof at the next regular meeting of the Board.

order given

David Buchanan
Henry Funkelman
John Brandon

Fourth day

Thursday morning June 5th 1862 Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday.

Ordered that Joel E Hendricks be and is hereby appointed Inspector of Elections in the Northern precinct of Union Township for the ensuing year

A petition is now presented to the Board which is in words and figures as follows to wit

"To the Commissioners of De Kalb County Your Petitioners residents of said County feeling that a public highway is necessary in the Township of Wilmington to begin at the southwest corner of section No fourteen thence running north along the section line of 14 and 11 into Sec 2 to the corner of Silas Ochs land thence East or North so as to intersect the State road running from Newtown to Hamilton or so much of said route as to accommodate the inhabitants with a road along the rout as have no road to their premises would contribute to the public benefit. We therefore Respectfully ask your honorable body to appoint Viewers to Examine & locate the same. Wilmington April 7th 1862" Signed Jonas Zeigler and others.

And the Board being satisfied that the proper legal notice had been given appoint P. H. Brandon George Egnew and Alonzo Finney viewers on the route for a road as described in the petition to report at the next regular meeting of the Board

order given

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Ordered that Timothy Mc Cline be allowed one dollar ($1,00) for services as road viewer.

A petition for a road view in Waterloo is presented to the Board which is in words and figures as follows,
To the honorable Board of Commissioners of De Kalb County We the undersigned your petitioners would respectfully pray your honorable Body to appoint viewers to view a rout for a road in Union Township De Kalb County Ind to wit
Commencing on the section line between Sections No 2 & 11 thirty three feet north of the north west corner of Lot No 227 in the Town of Waterloo running from thence east until it strikes the East boundary line of said Town
order June said proposed rout being a street in said Town designated on the recorded plat as maple Street. We therefore pray that the same be established as a public Highway we believing it to be of Public Utility Signed by C. A. C. McClellan & others. And the Board being satisfied that the proper Notice had been given Appoint Jacob Mc Enterfer Jeremiah Plum and Christian Kimmel viewers on said rout for a road.

70 Ordered that J. M. Minnich be allowed ten dollars and sixty two cents $10.62 for groceries furnished families of soldiers as per bill on file.

71 Ordered that Norton Blake be allowed Eight and thirty three ($8.33) for pork &c furnished families of soldiers as per bill on file

72 Ordered that S. M. Trout & co be allowed nine dollars ($9.00) for goods furnished for families of soldiers as per bill on file

73 Ordered that Laura Bogue be allowed ten dollars for house rent for use of family of soldiers as per bill on file

Ordered that

74 J. W Rickel be allowed nine dollars and fifty cents ($9.50) for shoes &c furnished to families of soldiers as per bill on file

75 Ordered that N & A. Hale be allowed fifteen dollars and thirty six cents ($15.36) for goods furnished families of soldiers. as per bill on file

76 Ordered that Robert Reed be allowed fifteen dollars ($15.00) for rent of house for use of families of soldiers as per bill on file

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Ordered that Cornelius Widner be allowed six dollars
57 for keeping pauper child as per bill on file and entitled by County of Wilmington.

Ordered that Mary McBride be allowed one dollar and
41 eighty eight (1.88) for services at poor house as per bill on file and duly entitled

Ordered that Lucinda McBride be allowed two dollars
42 and fifty eight cents for services at poor house as per bill on file and duly entitled

Ordered that N. L. Rhodes be allowed twenty four
43 dollars and sixty five cents (24.65) for goods furnished for use of County Poor as per bill on file and duly entitled

Ordered that George Reed be allowed one dollars and twenty five cents (1.25) for potatoes furnished
44 for use of County Poor as per bill on file and duly certified

Ordered that A. Rhodehiffer be allowed three
45 dollars and thirty one cents (3.31) for pork furnished for use of County Poor as per bill on file and duly certified.

Ordered that J. M. Ralston be allowed forty two dollars and forty nine cents (42.49) ~~on per bill~~
46 for goods furnished for use of County Poor as per bill on file and duly certified.

Ordered that Daniel Cone be allowed forty dollars and Eighty cents (40.80) for services
16 on the County Poor Farm as per bill on file and duly entitled

Ordered that Joseph Maxwell be allowed thirty five dollars and
15 thirteen cents for cash ~~he~~ paid for labor on Poor Farm as per bill on file and duly certified.

Ordered that Joseph Maxwell be allowed forty four dollars and five cents 44.05 for services
14 as Superintendent of Poor farm as per bill on file

Ordered that Ettinger & Maxwell be allowed Eight dollars
47 (8.00) for making coffin for pauper as per bill on file and duly certified.

Ordered that C. J. Hare be allowed five
49 dollars and twenty cents (5.70) for shoes furnished Co poor as per bill on p

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Ordered that Celestine Matthews be allowed five dollars
51 ($5.00) for labor at Poor House as per bill on file and duly cer-
tified.

Ordered that John A. Bitmer be allowed
nineteen dollars and twenty eight cents ($19.28) for corn
52 furnished for use of Poor Farm as per bill on file and duly
certified.

Ordered that L. Bowers be allowed three
53 dollars and forty three cents ($3.43) for groceries &c furnished
for use of County Poor as per bill on file and duly certified

Ordered that H. B. Hoffman be allowed six dollars and seventy
40 six cents ($6.76) for butter &c furnished for use of County Poor
as per bill on file and duly certified.

Ordered that Daniel
Walters be allowed two dollars and sixty one cents for grind-
54 stone and labor for Poor Farm as per bill on file and duly
certified

Ordered that Steifel & Wolf be allowed ten dollars
55 and ninety cents for goods furnished on account of County
Poor as per bills on file three in No and duly certified

Ordered that John Ralston be allowed twenty five dollars
77 Extra Compensation as County Clerk for quarter Ending
June 1st 1861 as per authenticated bill on file

Ordered that William Monroe be allowed fourteen dollars
57 ($14.00) for care and keeping of James Culbertson a pauper
as per bill on file

Ordered that C. C. Houghton be
49 allowed four dollars $4.00 for flour furnished family of
Volunteers as per order of Trustee of Richland Tp

Ordered that J. D. Davis be allowed eighty five cents
54 ($0.85) for oil furnished for use of Clerks Office as per bill
on file.

Ordered that J. D. Davis be allowed twenty
56 four dollars and thirty cents for Hard ware &c furnished
for use of Co. Asylum as per bill on file

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed one hundred and
78 twenty Eight dollars and twenty four cents for services as
County Auditor Making Delinquent Lists &c as per
bill

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The Co- Auditor presents his annual Report as follows

Auditors Office Auburn
DeKalb Co- June 1. 1862

To the Hon- Board of Commissioners DeKalb County Indiana

Pursuant to law I herewith submit my annual Report of the Receipts and Expenditures of said County for the year ending June 1st 1862. There was remaining in the treasury at the close of the last fiscal Year

County Revenue	38685
" Road	784
" Special School	460
" Township	1024
" Municipal	261
" Redemption of Land	4812
Total	394193
Collected since of Co- Revenue	1094107
" " " Road	60754
" " " Special School	572163
" " " Township	9942
" " " Municipal	1816
" " " Redemption of Land	4529
" " " Surveyors Fees	1070
" " " Agricultural Fund	1000
Total	2842561

Orders issued for the year ending June 1st 1862	
On County Fund	1019328
" Redemption of Land	5002
" Surveyors Fees	1070
" Special School Revenue	572163
" Road "	610549
" Township "	9942
" Municipal "	1821
" Agricultural "	1013
Total Amt issued	2381452
And orders outstanding June 1. 1861	49426
Total Liabilities	2431148

Recapitulation (General Fund)	
Available Funds	2842561
Liabilities	2431148
Leaves subject to order	411413

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County Fund Orders issued for 1861		
On account of Keeping Revenue	528	67
" " " Expense of Criminals	578	47
" " " Bridges	1208	17
" " " Public Buildings	268	36
" " " Poor	2042	95
" " " Co Officers Salary	1791	67
" " " Roads	124	85
" " " Specific Allowance	1657	48
" " " Stationary	285	25
" " " Illegal Tax Refunded	24	82
" " " Elections	22	02
" " " Judges Salary	228	29
" " " Jurors Fees	698	10
" " " Insane & Blind	30	63
" " " Expense of Courts	447	74
" " " " " Printing	83	05
" " " " " Inquest	15	00
" " " " " Volunteers	965	38
" " " Prosecutes Salary	24	82
Total Amount issued	10170	28
Add amount outstanding June 1. 1861	494	96
makes total liabilities	10688	24
County Fund (Avails)		
Amount collected since June 1. 1861	10941	07
" in Treasury " " "	3868	52
Total	14809	59
Deduct whole amount of Liabilities	10688	24
Leaves balance $	4121	35
Special School Fund		
Amount in Treasury June 1. 1861	4	60
Collected since	5721	63
Total	5726	23
Orders issued since June 1. 1861	5721	53
Balance	4	70
Road Fund		
Amount in Treasury June 1 1861	7	84
Collected since	6075	49
Total	6083	33
Orders issued since June 1. 1861	6105	49
Overdrawn	22	16

Township Revenue	
Amount in Treasury June 1, 1862	10 24
Collected since	994 27
Total	1004 51
Orders issued since June 1, 1861	994 27
Balance	10 24
Municipal Fund	
Amount in Treasury June 1, 1862	2 61
Collected since	181 60
Total	184 21
Orders issued since June 1, 1861	184 21
Redemption of Land	
Amount in Treasury June 1, 1861	48 12
Collected since	452 09
Total	500 21
Orders issued since June 1, 1861	500 21
Surveyors Fees	
Amount collected since June 1, 1861	107 53
Orders issued " " " "	107 53
Agricultural Fund	
Amount collected since June 1, 1861	10 00
Orders issued " " "	10 00

N. J. Hunt Auditor Lee Hall Co.

Auditors Report of School Funds.

Auditors Office June 2, 1862

To the Hon- Board of Com- Lee Hall Co.

The undersigned Auditor of said Co. submits the following Report relative to the operations of the several School Funds of said County for the year ending June 1, 1862

Receipts of Interest

There has been received during the year and paid over to the State Treasurer on account of

Common School Interest	821 55
Liquor License	350 00
Total	1171 55

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Of Cong- Fund Interest there was received up to the March dividend	1445 26
On accounts of which Orders have been issued to the several Township Trustees to the amount of	1445 26
There has been received since the March dividend of Common School Interest and Congressional do-	45 62
of Congressional	43 03
Total	88 65
Deduct Interest repaided	1 18
Leaves in Treasury	87 47

Common School Fund	
Received of Treasurer of State June 1861	6001 56
" " " " Nov- "	1111 40
Total	7112 96
Orders issued to Township Trustees	1111 40
Nov- 1861	6001 56
June- "	
	7112 96

Common and Congressional Fund	
Principal	
In Treasury June 1. 1861	101 01
Loans repaided during year	2001 50
Fines collected	260 13
Total	2392 64
Orders have been issued during year for	2373 50
Balance in Treasury June 1. 1862	19 14

All which is respectfully submitted

A. J. Hunt Aud-

DeKalb Co-

Treasurers Report for 1861

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of De Kalb County

The Undersigned Treasurer of De Kalb County would respectfully submit the following report in Relation to the Congressional and Common School Funds of said County

There has been collected during the year ending May 01. 1862 as follows

Of Congressional Fund to date of distribution	1445 26
Amount paid Trustees of Townships	1445 26
Collected since distribution	41 85

June Term A. D. 1862 fourth day

Of Common School Interest	189 60
Sinking Fund "	631 95
Liquor License	350 00
	1171 55
Amt Paid State Treasurer	1171 55
collected since distribution	45 62

Common and Congressional School Principle

Amount in Treasury June 1. 1861	107 01
Loans paid during the year	2031 50
Recieved for fines	260 13
	2392 64
Paid out on Orders	2377 50
Balance in Treasury	15 14
Congressional Interest " "	41 85
Common School "	45 62
Balances in Treasury	106 61

Report of the receipts and Expenditures of De Kalb County for the year Ending May 31 1862. There was in the Treasury at the close of the last Fiscal Year

The sum of	396 93
Recieved on account of County Revenue	10941 07
" " " " Township "	994 27
" " " " Road "	6075 49
" " " " Special School "	5721 63
" " " " Municipal Tax	181 60
" " " " Surveyors Fees	107 50
" " " " Redemption of Land	469 07
" " " " Agricultural Fund	10 00
	28461 59

Expenditures Orders Redeemed	
County " "	10205 56
Township " "	994 27
Special School " "	5721 63
Municipal Tax " "	184 21
Surveyors Fees " "	107 50
Redemption of Land " "	550 21
Agricultural Fund " "	100 00
Road Revenue " "	6105 49
State " " "	12 50
	23847 87

June Term A. D 1862 fourth day

Total amt of Revenue for 1861	28461 57
Orders Redeemed	23847 80
Balance in Treasury June 1862	4613 77
Total amount of County Revenue	1487 57
" " Orders Redeemed	1028 57
Balance in Treasury	460 00
Township Revenue	1004 51
Orders Redeemed	994 27
Balance in Treasury	10 24
Road Revenue	6083 00
Orders Redeemed	6105 49
Overdrawn	22 16
Special School	572623
Orders Redeemed	572163
Balance in Treasury	4 70
Municipal Tax	184 21
Orders Redeemed	184 21
"	0 00
Surveyors Fees	107 03
Orders Redeemed	107 03
	0 00
Redemption of Land	577 19
Orders Redeemed	500 21
Balance in Treasury June 1. 1862	16 98
Agricultural Fund	1000
Orders Redeemed	1000
	000
Recapitulation	
Balance on County Revenue	460 00
" " Township "	10 24
" " Special School	4 70
" " Redemption of Land	16 98
	463592
Deduct Road Revenue overdrawn	22 16
Amt in Treasury as above	4613 77

All of which is Respectfully Submitted Geo. Bunn Treas
Co Public Co

June Term A. D. 1862 fifth day

Ordered that George Barney be allowed three dollars
80 and ninety five cents ($3,95) for services as Co. Treas.
as per bill on file.

Ordered that an appropriation of twenty
five dollars be made for building a bridge across a creek
near John Hart's in Newville Township. H. Fuffelman Supt—

Ordered that an
appropriation of seventy five dollars be made for the
completion of a bridge near Pitman's Saw mill on the
Auburn and Fort Wayne road. John Brandon Supt—

Ordered that Sections seven (7) West half of Eight (8)
sixteen (16) seventeen (17) and eighteen (18) Union township
be and the hereby attached to the Southern precinct of said
township for voting purposes. Adjourned
David Buchanan
Henry Huffelman
John Brandon

Friday morning June 6th 1862 Board met pursuant
to adjournment present the same as yesterday,

Ordered that an appropriation of forty dollars ($40,00) be
230 made for the construction of a bridge across the west
branch of Cedar Creek near Nathan Hathaway's in
Richland Township. John Brandon Superintendent—

Ordered that tax of forty cents be levied on each and
every hundred dollars valuation of of real and personal
property of the County for the purpose of County Revenue
for the Fiscal Year 1862

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be
81 allowed one dollar and seventy six cents ($1,76) for cash
advanced for County, as per bill

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed
Eighty nine ninety six cents ($ 89,96) for services as Auditor
81 managing School Fund and making annual report
as per bill on file

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allo-
wed fifty nine dollars and forty two cents ($59,42) services
85 as Auditor spring Co. Orders &c as per bill on file

June Term A. D. 1862 fifth day

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed twelve dollars
84 and sixty cents ($12,60) for services as Auditor as per bill on file and

Ordered that John Brannan be
28 allowed five dollars ($5,00) for services Superintending Bridges as per bill on file.

Ordered that David Buch=
18 anan be allowed four dollars for services supintending Bridg across Fish Creek as per bill on file.

Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed seventeen dollars
87 and sixty five cents ($17,65) for services as Auditor at the present Sepion. as per bill on file.

Ordered that the orders heretofore made in relation to assistance being rendered to soldiers be and is hereby rescinded.

Ordered that David Buchanan
Henry Fupelman and John Brandon be each allowed
17,2,7,29 fifteen dollars for services as Commissioners at the present Term.

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain
50 beallowed ten dollars ($10,00) for services as Sheriff at present Sepion. Adjourned

David Buchanan
Henry Fupelman
John Brandon

July Special Term A.D. 1862 July 28th

Pursuant to Notice from the Auditor the Board of Commissioners of said Co met to take into consideration such measures as may be needed to forward enlistments in the Volunteer military service of the United States. Present David Buchanan Henry Fuselman and John Brandon Commissioners and A.J. Hunt Auditor and J. B. Chamberlain Sheriff.

Ordered that each Volunteer under the present Call of the President of the United States, who shall enlist in Infantry Companies or fractional Companies to be organized in this County, or to fill up Companies from this County now in organized Regiments or in Cavalry or artillery Service of Companies in other parts of the State, shall be allowed as an additional bounty the sum of Twenty five dollars Each, to be paid on their being mustered into the United States service on the certificate of the commanding Officer of the company being filed with the County Auditor of their said acceptance, which Auditor shall then draw his warrant on the Treasury of the county for the same

David Buchanan
Henry Fuselman
John Brandon

August Special Term A.D. 1862

Pursuant to call of the Auditor the Board of Commissioners of said Co. met at the Auditors Office. Present David Buchanan Henry Fuselman & John Brandon Commissioners and A.J. Hunt Aud.

Ordered that the Auditor issue no orders for bounty to Volunteers till the September meeting of the Board of Commissioners

Henry Fuselman
John Brandon
David Buchanan

September Term 1862 1st day
Monday Sep- 1. 1862

The Board of Commissioners of De Kalb County met pursuant to Law. Present David Buchanan Henry Tupelman and John Brandon Com- Jo N. Chamberlain Sheriff and A. J. Hunt Auditor

A Petition is now presented for a road in Smithfield Township which is in words and figures as follows
The undersigned your Petitioners would most respectfully represent to the honorable Board of County Commissioners of De Kalb County Indiana at the September Sesion of said Board that it would be of public utility to have a Township Highway in Smithfield Township De Kalb County Indiana opened of the following description To Wit Commencing at the quarter post at the center of Section Twenty in Township Thirty five North of Range 13 East- thence east on the quarter section paping through lands owned by Jonas Enos James Vail J. P. Williams Wm Sherman Morgan Kinman George Young Henry Hood & B. Shoemaker and lands owned by the Heirs of John Hood deceased intersecting a north and south road Extending on Section Twenty one in said Township your petitioners most respectfully ask your Honorable Board to grant our prayers and appoint viewers to view said proposed Road and hope the report thereof may be received with favor for public and private convenience requires that said Road should be caused out. Signed by Morgan Kinman & thirs. And the Board being satisfied that the proper legal Notice had been given. Ordered that George Wolf Timothy McClure and Reuben Ettinger be appointed viewers to view said route for a road as described in the foregoing petition to report at the next regular meeting of the Board

Ordered that John Ralston be allowed forty nine dollars ($49,00) for cash advanced for seven copies of Statutes as per bill on file

Ordered that Jacob Willard be allowed 75 cts for appraising property of Peter Schimpf and making Statement to Auditor as per bill on file.

A petition for a private road in Troy Township is now presented to the Board which is in words and figures as follows

September Term A.D. 1862

To the Commissioners of De Kalb County Indiana

We the undersigned citizens of Troy Township would most respectfully petition your Honorable Body at its next session in September A.D. 1862 that you would grant a private Road or cart way for the convenience of James Cooper and J. H. Boon to travel from their residence to the East and west township line road (running East and West) as hereinafter described. Commencing at the East Line of James Cooper's Land being in the center of his Land at a tree marked by three notches and running due west through the center of said land to the East line of J. H. Boon's land so as to intersect a lane running past said Boon's house and barn to the west line of Boon's land thence running South to the town line road of Troy Township, on the line between Boon and Crager's land thence on the line between Walter Cruse's and Crager's land to the said Town Line Road above mentioned.

July 25. 1862 signed by J. H. Boon & others.

And on mature deliberation the Board grant the prayer of the foregoing Petition and

Ordered that Jacob Bunsenhouser Isaac Leiche and Alonzo Finney be appointed to view the route for a road as described in the foregoing petition to report at the next regular meeting of the Board.

Notice issued

154 Ordered that S. N. Ralston be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents ($2.25) for Sundries furnished Ariel Walden a Co- charge as per bill on file.

A petition is now presented to the board praying for a road in Concord Township which is in words and figures as follows.

To the Honorable board of Commissioners of De Kalb Co. Ind. Gentlemen we the undersigned citizens of Spencerville Ind. and vicinity hereby respectfully ask your Honorable body to Establish Lawfully a Road or highway fifty feet wide commencing at the East end of the street in Spencerville near the residence of John Zimmerman thence running on the right bank of the mill race or as near as convenient, from that point in a direct line to the river Bridge on the St Joe River as may be

Sep Term A. D. 1863

As it is very important to the public that a lawful Road should be there located we wish that at your next Session the subject may be attended to.
Concord Township Du Kalb Co Ind Aug 5. 1862.
Signed by R. H. Woodward and others.
And the Board being satisfied that the proper Legal Notice had been given

Notice issued

Ordered that Samuel Henderson Athens Dragoo and Robert Culbertson be appointed viewers on the west for a road described in the foregoing petition to report at the next meeting of the Board.

155 Ordered that Samuel Yates be allowed four dollars and fifty cents for keeping a pauper as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Wilmington

Ordered that Levi Brown be allowed
156 six dollars for board care &c of pauper boy as per bill on file and duly certified.

Ordered that Steigel
157 and Wolf be allowed six dollars and fifty cents ($6.50) for goods &c furnished wives of Volunteers as per orders of Township Trustees on file.

Ordered that John
165 Thomas be allowed twenty dollars ($20.00) for board and care of Ariel Walden a pauper as per bill on file

147 Ordered that J. N. Miller be allowed twenty Eight Dollars and fifteen cents for care &c of Ariel Walden a pauper as per bill on file

David Buchanan
Henry Funkhouser
John Brandon

Tuesday morning Sep 2nd Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday.

166 Ordered that George Wagoner be allowed One dollar and twenty five cents ($1.25) for flour furnished family of Volenteer as per order of Trustee of Wilmington.

Ordered that J. W. Case be allowed
170 two dollars and fifty cents ($2.50) for flour furnished family of Volenteer as per bill on file

Ordered that Lots No 0-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-118 in the Town of Orangeville be and is hereby vacated

September Term - 1862 2nd day

Ordered that

148 Daniel Franks be allowed eight dollars ($8,00) for board &c of pauper as per bill on file.

171 Ordered that Mrs. D. C. Hatfield be allowed twelve dollars ($12,00) for her support her husband being in the army. on order of Trustee of Acworth

172 Ordered that Jane Millimen be allowed twelve dollars ($12,00) for her support her husband having died in the army.

Ordered that N. L. Thom

173 be allowed five dollars ($5,00) for goods furnished Mrs. Smith Wife of Volenteer as per order of Trustee of Wilmot on file

174 Ordered that O. C. Houghton be allowed seven dollars and seventy five cents ($7,75) for flour &c furnished family of Volenteer as per bill on file

175 Ordered that William Monroe be allowed fourteen dollars ($14,00) for board &c of pauper as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Concord.

180 Ordered that William Monroe be allowed ten dollars and fifty cents ($10,50) for board &c of pauper as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Concord

181 Ordered that Joseph M Rex be allowed Seventy One (71) Dollars for goods and Sundries furnished Volunteers families as per bills and certificates on file duly authenticated.

177 Ordered that Stiefel & Wolf be allowed Two & 40/100 Dollars for goods furnished Asial Walden a pauper as per bill on file duly authenticated.

Comes now Isaac Kutzner John Davis and J. J. Huffman Viewers appointed at the former session of the Board to view a road in Richland Township and make report in these words "August 19 1862 We the Viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 19th day of August 1862 proceed to view said Road as follows to wit. Commencing at the South East Corner of Section fourteen (14) Richland Township thence west on the Section line between Sections fourteen and twenty three to the west line of said Sections and there terminate and of the width of thirty feet. as described in the order. We did view and mark out said road and We the viewers report said Road favorable and of general Public utility

Isaac Kutzner
John Davis
J. J. Huffman
} viewers

And the Board accept said Report said establish the Road as described in said Report. And order that the proper Township Trustee be notified of the same.

X Notice issued

182 Ordered that Isaac Kutzner, John Davis and J.J. Kuffmann be
183 each allowed the sum of One Dollars for services a Road Viewers
184 Ordered that George Reece be allowed four dollars for burying infant by order of Coroner as per bill on file

185 Ordered that Mrs. B. M. Weeks be allowed nine dollars ($9.00) for her support the being wife of Volunteer as per Order of Trustee of Newville

Ordered that
186 De. N. Shull be allowed One dollar and forty cents ($1.40) for goods furnished R. J. Cullentown a pauper as per bill on file and certified by Trustee of Concord

178 Ordered that Steifel & Wolf be allowed twenty one dollars and ninety two cents ($21.92) for goods furnished for use of Co. poor as per Order on file and from Co. Superintendent.

Ordered that M. L
764 Rhodes be allowed twenty six dollars and ninety six cents. ($26.96) for goods &c furnished Co. Asylum as per bill on file.

Ordered that Geo. Barney
187 be allowed sixty five dollars and forty nine cts ($65.49) for services as County Treasurer as per bill on file.

Ordered that Joshua Peeples be appointed
Order Issued Sept. 22 a Commissioner on the part of De Kalb Co. to view
to 1862 and Road for a road on the Co. line between Noble and De Kalb Co. as per petition of Emeline Stahl and others.

A petition for a private road in Jackson Township is now presented to the Board and there being no remonstrance against the said petition the Board Ordered that said road be established as follows. "To commence about 44 rods East on the line "dividing N. E. qr of Sec 21 East and west thence to lead "in a north direction through the North half of the N. E. qr "of Sec 21. Tp 33. N. R. 13 E in said County and owned by "Samuel Carnahan until said road intersect said "East and west road aforesaid" As described in the petition Width twenty five feet"

188 Ordered that P. Simmons be allowed five dollars ($5.00) for blacksmithing done for Co. Asylum as per bill on file and properly certified

189 Ordered that Samuel Swihart be allowed one dollar for services as road viewer.

190 Ordered that Engle and Spring be allowed fourteen dollars for Stationary furnished for use of County. as per bill on file

The viewers on a certain alteration of road in Fanfield Township report as follows "We the viewers appointed to view said "road did on the 12th day of July 1862 proceed to "view said road as follows to wit We the viewers "did grant said alteration as described in the "order said road to be forty feet wide." (See page 372.) Signed Joseph Johnson George Crowley and Samuel Miser.

Ordered that the foregoing report be accepted and the alteration established and and Order be issued to the Township Trustee to open and keep in repair the same

X Notice Issued

Ordered that

191 Joseph Johnson George Crowley and Samuel
176 Miser be Each allowed one dollar ($1.00) for
192 services viewing road. 4 00

A petition for a road in Concord Township which is in words and figures as follows. "To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of De Kalb County Indiana We the undersigned "citizens of Concord Township pray your Honors for "the location of a road commencing at the East "End of Mill Street in the Town of Spencerville thence "running on the South West side of the mill race to the "Race Bridge from there to the St Joseph River Bridge "as near as convenient wherefore we Ever pray. Signed Wm Leasted and others."

And the Board being satisfied that the requisite legal notice had been given. Ordered that Robert Culbertson Samuel Henderson and Alpheus Driggs be appointed viewers on the rout for a road described in the foregoing Petition to report at the next regular meeting of the Board

A petition is now presented praying for an alteration of a road in Richland Township which is in words and figures as follows "To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of the County of De Kalb in the

in the State of Indiana. The undersigned freeholders and residents of said County residing in the immediate neighborhood of the following proposed change of highway petition your honorable body to change the location of highway in said county running from Auburn in De Kalb County to Lisbon or Brown's Tavern in Noble County Indiana from the place where said highway strikes the eastern line of Jacob S. Paulmer's farm in section fifteen Richland Twp of De Kalb Co-. to the place where the same strikes the Eastern line of section sixteen in said township so that the same may run in a straight line between said points as near as may be said highway and proposed change run through and touch lands owned by Jacob S. Paulmer Benjamin Ruffner John Wooley. Petitioners also ask that so much of the old highway as may be rendered unnecessary may be vacated." And the board being satisfied that the proper legal notice had been given Notice issued Appoint Isaac Kutzner John Davis and Joshua Hoffman viewers on the road for a road as described in the foregoing petition to report at the next regular meeting of the Board

~~Ordered that John Babston be allowed 87 cts for cash advanced~~

167 Ordered that J. D. Davis be allowed 87 cents for oil he furnished Co Clerk as pr bill on file

A report of a road view in Fairfield is now presented which is in words and figures as follows

August 9th 1862

We the viewers appointed to view said Road did on the ninth day of August 1862 proceed to view said and locate said road as follows to wit commencing sixty rods north of Fairfield center thence north on the line between A. Bup and Moses Bonsell Land thence west on the line A. Bup and and John Chasey until it intersects the old road and vacated so much of the old road as lies between the points aforenamed The width of said Road to be forty feet as described in the order We J. M. Boutschins Heman Bangs & L. D. Britton did view said point and we the viewers report said Road favorable and of public utility

Signed J. M Boutschins Heman Bangs and L. D Britton

Remonstrance being presented against the public utility of the foregoing described road the Board Ordered that Henry Sherlock Harrison, Lawrence Jones and Wellington Pennington be appointed to review said road and report to the next regular meeting of the Board

Petition

193 Ordered that J. M. Goetschius be allowed
194 two dollars and Hemen Bangs and L. D. Britton
195 be each allowed one dollar for viewing road
168 Ordered that J. D. Davis be allowed $21.06 cts for Hardware &c furnished for use of Co. Asylum as per bill on file

Ordered that A. M. Ralston
183 be allowed forty dollars and thirty seven cents ($40.37) for goods furnished for use of Co. Asylum as per bill on file

Ordered that M. K. Straight
196 be allowed five dollars ($5.00) for goods furnished pauper as per bill and order on file.

197 Ordered that J. A. Ditmar be allowed fourteen dollars and twenty cents ($14.20) for corn furnished for use of Co. Asylum as per bill on file
198 Ordered that L. Bowers be allowed ten dollars and sixty three cents ($10.63) for groceries furnished for use of Co Asylum as per bill on file.
199 Ordered that N. D. Beardsley be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for blacksmithing done for use of Co. Asylum as per bill on file
200 Ordered that Peter Ditmars be allowed six dollars ($6.00) for hay furnished for use of Co. Asylum as per bill on file.

Ordered that Abraham
201 Rhodaheffer be allowed one dollar ($1.00) for eggs furnished for use of Co. Asylum as per bill on file

146 Ordered that Mary McBride be allowed $8.75 for work done at Co. Asylum as per bill on file

147 Ordered that Susanda McBride be allowed $8.86 for work done at Co Asylum as per bill on file.

A report of Road view in Jackson Township is presented to the board which is in words and figures as follows "June 30th 1863.

We the viewers appointed to view said road did on the 30th day of June 1863 proceed to view said road as follows to wit Commencing at the house now occupied by Michael Logue on Section six in Jackson Township in De Kalb Co. Ind. thence to the Sawmill of McBride and we recommend the vacation of the road lying between the points before named as we consider the said road of No public utility Signed James Braswold J. N. Miller and S. B. Ward Viewers

Ordered that James Braswold S. B Ward and J. N. Miller be ~~each~~ allowed one dollar each for viewing the foregoing described vacation of road and further that said vacation be established.

Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed Seven dollars & twenty five cents ($7,75) for medical attendance on pauper as pr bill on file.

Ordered that J. B. Dickinson be allowed Eighteen dollars ($18.00) for Tax receipt blanks furnished Co Treasurer as pr bill on file

Ordered that J. B. Bishop be and is hereby appointed Constable for Newville Township to fill the vacancy occasioned by William Tagley having Enlisted in the army.

Adjourned

David Buchanan
Henry Zuspelman
John. Brandon

Wednesday Sep 2nd 1863 Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment Present the same as yesterday.

A report of a road view in in the Town of Waterloo which is in words and figures as follows June 23rd 1863

We the viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 23rd day of June 1863 proceed to view said Road as follows to wit Commencing at the Section line between Section three(3) and Section

Commencing thirty three feet
four (4) & thirty three R. thirteen thence, north of the
north west corner of Lot No. 237 Waterloo running
from thence East until it strikes the east boundry
line of said Town as described in the order
We Jacob McEntaffer Christian Kimmell and
Jer Plum did view and said road and we the viewers Report said road favorable and
of public utility Signed, Jacob McEndaffer Christian
Kimmell and Jeremiah Plum viewers.

Ordered that the foregoing report be accepted
Note X and and the road therein described established and an
issued order be issued to the Township Trustee for opening
and keeping the same in repair.

207 Ordered that
208 Christian Kimmell and Jacob McEntaffer be
209 each allowed one dollar ($1,00) and Jeremiah
Plum two dollars for viewing road

Ordered
210 that George Barney be allowed forty five
dollars and seventy one cents ($45,71) for taxes
on Duplicat and not returned on Delinquent
List of 1861. as per bill on file.

Ordered that
211 Funston and Bro. be allowed thirty four dollars
and fifty cents ($34,50) for Stationary furnished for
use of County Clerk as per bill on file.

Ordered that
213 William Sheets be allowed twenty four dollars
and ten cents ($24,10) for Stationary furnished for
use of County as per bill on file.

Ordered that
148 Joseph Maxwell be allowed seventy four dollars
and fifty five cents ($74,55) for labor on the County
farm as per bill on file. The said Maxwell
retains in his hands forty dollars ($40,00) received
by him for wheat sold and for which he is
hereafter to account.

Ordered that George Barney
212 be allowed one dollar and twenty five cents ($1,25)
for cash advanced in State case to J. P. for mileage &c
in State cases as per bill on file.

Ordered that J. &
159 R. Ettinger be allowed Eight dollars ($8,00) for making
Coffin for on order of Trustee of Smithfield as per bill on
file

214 Ordered that Alonzo Lockwood be allowed seven dollars and fifty six cents ($7.56) for meal &c furnished for use of Co. Asylum as pr bill on file.

A report of a road views in Richland Township is presented which is in words and figures as follows (viz.) reporting said road of No. public utility report accepted, and filed

~~Ordered~~

A report of a road view in Richland Township is presented which is in words and figures as follows

"Richland June 20 1862

"We the viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 24 day of June 1862 proceed View "the road mentioned in order no. (1) said Road "as follows to wit Commencing at the quarter "post in the south line of Section nineteen (19) thence "north on the Quarter line to the Quarter post on the "north line of Section Seven and there terminate "We the Reviewers as aforesaid did meet at the "house of Michael Kline on the 24th day of June 1862 "and make out said Route as described in the order "in Richland Township De Kalb County Indiana "and recomend said road to be 30 feet wide "We Abraham McCoy John Schrantz & George Wolf "report said Road favorable and of public utility "Signed Abraham McCoy John Schrantz and George Wolf "Viewers, And a remonstrance haveing been presented to the Board praying for damages on the before described route for a road the Board defered further action on said report till to morrow morning at ~~three~~ nine o clock.

Ordered Joseph Link be allowed one dollar and twenty five cents $1.25 for labor on poor house farm to be drawn in favor
169 of J. D. Davis.

ordered that J. C. Longland be allowed
179 five dollars and twenty five cents ($5.25) for printing done for County as pr bill on file.

Ordered that
21[illegible] J. F. Radcliff be allowed fifteen dollars for printing done for County as pr bill on file

216 Ordered that Abraham McCoy and John Schantz
217
218 be each allowed two dollars and George Wolf three dollars for viewing road in Richland Township.

219 Ordered that J. A Chamberlain be allowed nine dollars and ninety cents ($9,90) for for boarding prisoners &c as pr bill on file

220 Ordered that James A. Chamberlain be allowed twelve dollars and sixty cents ($12,60) for serving road notices &c as pr bill on file

Ordered that

221 Jacob Shull be allowed three dollars and twenty nine cents ($3,29) for Eggs &c furnished County Asylum as pr bill on file.

Adjourned

David Buchanan
Henry Dapfelman
John Brandon

Thursday morning Sep 4. 1862 Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present the same as yesterday.

A remonstrance was presented signed by Joseph Kirkpatrick Michael Kline, Johnson Miers and J. R. Hall in regard to a road in the following words (to wit)

224 Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed four dollars twenty eight cents ($4,28) for postage and freight, pr. bill filed

225 Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed one hundred and thirty dollars in part for making duplicate for 1862. pr. bill filed

426 Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed one hundred & seventeen dollars and twenty five cents ($117,25) for issuing notices, Road orders &c. pr. bill filed.

Ordered that N. Griswold James Griswold & J. D. Davis be appointed and sworn to view & certain road in Richland Township wherein Joseph Kirkpatrick and others are remonstrants and that they meet at the house of Johnson Miers on the 1st Saturday of October next

Notice issued

151 Ordered that John Pickston be allowed twenty five dollars dollars ($25,00) for extra compensation as County Clerk pr. bill filed

Whereas the County is wishing to borrow four thousand dollars to pay the bounty granted to volunteers for the army.

It is ordered that if any person shall loan any money to the County Treasury for that purpose and take the County Treasurers receipt

therefor the County Auditor shall issue an order for him to that amount

144 Ordered that Henry Tufelman be allowed five dollars (5.00) for selling bridges pr. bill filed

223 Ordered that A. J. Hunt be allowed eleven dollars and five cents (11.05) for services as Auditor the present term &c. pr. bill filed

138. Ordered that David Buchanan, Henry Tufelmen & John Brandon
139 be each allowed twelve dollars for services as Commissioners at the
140 present term

222 Ordered that J. N. Chamberlain be allowed eight dollars for services as Sheriff at the present term

Board Adjourned

David Buchanan
Henry Tufelmen
John Brandon

Special Term September 26th 1862

In Consequence of the death of the Auditor the board of Co Commissioners met this day for the purpose of appointing an Auditor to serve until his Successor is elected and qualified

Present David Buchanan, Henry Fassleman and John Brandon, Commissioners, Jas N. Chamberlin Sheriff

Ordered that Joel E Hendricks be appointed deputy Auditor for the present Session

Ordered that Joel E Hendricks be appointed Auditor to act until his Successor is Elected and qualified

Ordered that David Buchanan, Henry Fassleman and John Brandon be each allowed the Sum of three dollar for Services as Commissioners at the present term

Ordered that Jas N Chamberlain be allowed two dollar for Services as Sheriff at the present term

Ordered that Jas N Chamberlain be allowed the Sum of One dollar and forty Cents for notifying Commissioners to attend at present Session

Auditor presented his Official bond which was approved and accepted by the board

David Buchanan
Henry Fassleman
John Brandon

Deed
Auditor of DeKalb Co
to
Benjamin Eakright

Whereas Benjamin Eakright, assignee of Samuel Eakright has paid in full the sum of Twenty Six and 75/100 dollars being the payment in full for the North East quarter of the North west quarter of Section number sixteen (16) Township No. Thirty four (34) North, of Range No fourteen east, in the County of DeKalb and State of Indiana containing forty acres more or less.

Now Know ye, That for and in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the Statute in such cases made and provided, I Joel E. Hendricks, Auditor in and for said DeKalb County and State of Indiana, for and in the name of the inhabitants of Congressional Township No Thirty four North, of Range fourteen East, do give and grant unto the said Benjamin Eakright, the said North East quarter of the North west quarter of Section Sixteen in said Township and range and to his heirs and assigns forever

Seal

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name as Auditor of said county and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County this 30th day of Oct A.D. 1862.

Joel E. Hendricks
Aud DeKalb Co.

State of Indiana
DeKalb County

Personally appeared before me the undersigned Recorder of said county, Joel E. Hendricks Auditor of said County, and and acknowledged the execution of the annexed conveyance.

Seal

Witness my hand and official Seal this Oct 30 1862.

S. W. Medney Recorder

November Session (Special)

November 6th A.D. 1862

The Board of Commissioners in and for the County of DeKalb met for the purpose of approving the Bonds of the Officers elected at the genral Election held Oct. 1862. Present John Brandon and J. M. Brumback and Jas E Hendricks Auditor and Jas M Chamberlain Sheriff

John N. Miller Elected to the Office of Sheriff
Jeremiah Plum Elected to the Office of Coroner
D W Allenburg Elected to the Office of Surveyor and
George Kuhlman Elected to the Office of County Auditor
Who presented their Bonds for Approval which were all
Approved and accepted

152 Ordered that John Brandon and J. M. Brumback be allowed
153 Three dollars each for services as Commissioners

Adjourned

John Brandon
J. M. Brumback
} Commissioners

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The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County Ind. met in pursuance to Law Dec. 1. A.D. 1862 Present Henry Lausehman John Brandon and George Huffman Auditor & Clerk and John S. Miller Sheriff

675 Ordered that George M. Huffman be allowed five dollars as an additional fee for Building Bridge West of Rabbet Works in Butler Township

676 Ordered that Alexander Proome be allowed two dollars for superintending Bridge Built West of Robes Work by G. M. Huffman
Ordered that John Cornelius Bichum be allowed twelve dollars for keeping Child pauper

677 Ordered that John Thomas be allowed twenty dollars for keeping Henry Thomas a pauper of said county for three months

A Petition to locate a Road was presented to the Board of Commissioners which is in substance as fallows
To the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county and state of Indiana. We the undersigned Residents of Richland Township and county of DeKalb Respectfully petition your Honorable Board to locate a private Road in Richland Township commencing twenty three Rods East of the North West Corner of North East quarter of section seven thence South Eighty Rods thence East Eighteen Rods thence south to the south line of said North East quarter in section seven said Road to be twenty feet in width and passes through land owned by Michael Cline there being no remonstrance said Road is ordered to be viewed

674 Ordered that Alonzo Lockwood be allowed Two dollars and Eighty six cts for Beef furnished poor House

678 Ordered that Charles McBride be allowed five dollars and seventy six cts for Work done on poor farm
Ordered that William Monroe be allowed Eight dollars and
564 seventy five cts for Keeping James Culbuson & J. R. Culbulson paupers from the first of Sept. to the seventh of Oct 1862

679 Ordered that Daniel Walters six dollars and forty seven cts for furnishing provisions for County poor House

680 Ordered that John Moore be allowed three dollars and five cts for repairing county jail

681 Ordered that A. N. Blood be allowed twelve dollars and thirty three cts for money and clothing furnished one Henry Hufford a County pauper and making arrangements to move him

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682 Ordered that Lucinda McBride be allowed five dollars and fifty cents for work done at the DeKalb County poor House

683 Ordered that Almina Cramer be allowed Three dollars and twenty cents for work done at the DeKalb County poor House

Ordered that John Brandon be allowed
665 Six dollars for the superintending of Building Three Bridges

684 Ordered that John N. Spain be allowed Twenty nine dollars and seventy cents for Boarding and Clothing Ariel Waldon a pauper of DeKalb County

Ordered that Knighton Park be allowed Six dollars and fifty cents
560 for Clothes furnished Mrs Conner and Mrs Woodbemyer

Ordered that David Shull be allowed Fourteen dollars for
562 advancing money to Volunteers Women and advancing money on orders from Trustee from Concord Township

Ordered that Abraham Berne
be allowed Thirty five dollars and Twenty Six for Boarding Prisoners and Repairing Jail

Ordered that Lott Herrick be allowed
687 five dollars for Transporting paupers and taking care of them

And the Board adjourns to meet tomorrow morning at 9 O'Clock

Henry Musselman
John Brandon

Thursday Morning Dec. 2. 1862

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present Henry Musselman John Brandon and Jesse M. Brumback the latter of whom now presents in open session his certificate of election with his oath thereon indorsed.

688 Ordered that Stiegel & Wolf be allowed fifty six dollars and sixteen cents for goods furnished paupers and paid orders from Trustees

Ordered that William Imbe be allowed Four dollars and
689 fifty cts for potatoes furnished DeKalb poor House

Ordered that Henry Musselman be allowed $2.00 for superintend-
561 ing Bridge at John Hart

Ordered that Lewis Barnes be allowed five
690 dollars and fifty one for goods furnished DeKalb Dispensary

Ordered that George Barney be allowed one dollar and fifty
691 six cents for amount of Express charges paid on Common School fund

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693 Ordered that Edward Rowland be allowed Two dollars for hauling [illegible] belonging to the county of DeKalb from Pleasantville to Auburn

Ordered that Johnet Heller be Stegfel & Wolf be allowed twenty five cts for Two pairs socks furnished Anial Heller

694 Ordered that Saml. M. Ralston be allowed One hundred and ten dollars and seventeen cts as his Bill on file

695 Ordered that John Johnson be allowed fifteen dollars and fifty cts for making Cupboard and one Coffin for DeKalb Infirmary

Edward Eldridge presents his petition to the Board of Commissioners to sell spirituous Liquors in less quantities than a quart in Building now occupied by him on Lot No 63 in the Town of Auburn County of DeKalb for the term of one year from Dec. 2. 1862 and the Board being satisfied that the proper Legal Notice having been given in some News paper published in the county and having genal circulation and also that that said Eldridge possessed the proper qualifications required by Law

Ordered that License to vend spirituous Liquors be granted to Edward Eldridge on the premises above described.

Ephraim Whitsel comes now and presents his petition to sell spirituous Liquors to the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county to sell in less quantities than a quart in Buildingnow occupied by him on Lot No 48 in the Town of Waterloo Union Township DeKalb county Indiana for the term of one year from this Date Dec. 2. 1862

and the Board being satisfied that the proper and Legal Notice having been given as required by Laws and that the said Ephraim Whitsel possesses the necessary qualifications. Therefore Ordered that Licence be granted to the said Ephraim Whitsel upon paying fifty dollars the amount required by Law to be paid upon the issuing of such Licence

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Second Day Dec 3

John Minnick comes into open court and presents his petition to the Board of Commissioners to sell Spirituous Vinous and Malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart in Building now occupied by him on Lot No 110 in the Town of Waterloo Union Township DeKalb County Indiana

And the Board being satisfied that the said John Minnick has given the proper and Legal Notice required in some "News paper" published in said county of DeKalb and having general circulation in the county aforesaid and that the said John Minnick possesses the requisite qualifications required by Laws

Ordered that Licence be granted to the said John Minnick to vend Spirituous Vinous and Malt Liquors on the premises above described

696 Ordered that John Ralston be allowed five dollars and Twenty seven cts as per Bill on file

697 Ordered that C. S. Hare be allowed Eight dollars and fifty cents as per Bill on file

698 Ordered that J N. Miller be allowed Two dollars and Thirty seven cts for Castings furnished DeKalb poor farm as per Bill on file

Ordered that Wm Braden be allowed

700 nine dollars and Twenty two cts for Stationary as per Bill on file

Ordered that Alden Nicholson be allowed Twenty five

701 dollars Bounty for services as Volunteer in United States

702 service

703 Ordered that John Waterloo be allowed Twenty five dollars for Extra services as Clerk of Circuit Court

704 Ordered that Philip B Simmons be allowed one dollars and Eighty cts for bringing in returns of Election as per Bill certified to by C. C. C.

705 Ordered that John Jackman be allowed one dollars and ninety cts for making returns of October Election as certified to by Clerk of C. C.

666 Ordered that John Brandon be allowed one dollar for services as judge at October Election

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706 Ordered that Moses Cousek be allowed one dollar and ninety six cts for making returns of October Election as certified to by Clerk of Circuit Court DeKalb County

707 Ordered that D. Z. Huffman be allowed one dollar fifty four cents for making returns of Election in October as certified to by Clerk of Circuit Court

708 Ordered that Levi Brown be allowed one dollar and forty Eight cts for making returns of October Election as allowed and certified to by Clerk of Circuit Court

709 Ordered that J. C. Olson be allowed one dollar and forty Eight cts for making returns of October Election as certified to by Clerk of Circuit Court

710 Isaac Deibel be allowed one dollar and ninety six for making returns of October Election as certified to by Clerk of C. C.

711 Ordered that Lott Herrick be allowed one dollar and ninety six cts for making returns of October Election as certified to by Clerk of Circuit Court

712 Ordered that Albert N Blood be allowed one dollar and ninety six cts for making returns of October Election as certified to by Clerk of Circuit Court

713 Ordered that Freeman Kelly be allowed one dollar and sixty four cts for making returns of October Election as certified by Clerk of Circuit Court of DeKalb Co

558 Ordered that William N. Emerson be allowed Two dollars and Twenty cts for making returns of October Election as certified by Clerk of Circuit Court

714 Ordered that Timothy McClure be allowed one dollar and forty cts for making returns of October Election as certified to by Clerk of Circuit Court

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5th Court day — Dec 2. 1862

To the Hon. Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana the names figured would respectfully represent and petition that your Hon. body authorize a private road to be laid out 30 feet wide running a portion of John Taylors land and commencing at the West line of Josina Kellers land as follows Beginning about forty five Rod south of the North West Corner of Section County in Franklin Township in said County in the Section line between Sections Nineteen (19) and County 20 in said Township running thence due west across said John Taylors and to the Auburn and Hamilton Roads which runs diagonally across Section nineteen (19) your petitioners represents that he now has no road from his farm leading in any direction and at present is entirely closed in that necessity compell him to ask the location of a private road and that the one above described will be the most convenient to himself and the least injurious to said John Taylor The above petition is in words and figures as above described, Whereupon the Board access the same and allowed

717 Ordered that Daniel Buchanan be allowed Two dollars for superintending the Building of a Bridge as per Bill on file

718 Ordered that J. C. Smith be allowed Three dollars and fifty cts for stationary furnished DeKalb county as per Bill on file

Ordered that Jael. P. Hendricks be allowed Two Hundred and Eighty seven dollars and Ninety one cts
657 657 for labor performed as Auditor of DeKalb County as per Bill on file

Ordered that A. C. Hurst be allowed Sixty four
720 dollars and fifty five cts for services as Auditor of DeKalb County as per Bill on file

Ordered that J. D. Davis be allowed Four dollars and
721 fifty two cts for goods furnished DeKalb county poor House

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722 Ordered that Bias and Tompkins be allowed six dollars for flour furnished Mrs Coons and Mrs Hampton Volunteer Women

Ordered that James N Chamberlain be allowed Seventy
723 one dollars and Seventy six cts for services as Sheriff of DeKalb county

Licenses granted Dec 2. 1862.

Lewis Stits now comes and presents his petition to Sell Spirituous Vinous and malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart in Building now occupied by him on Lot No 5 in A M Fellers addition to the Town of Corunna DeKalb County Indiana for the term of one year and the Board of Commissioners being satisfied that the proper and Legal Notice having been given as required by Law in some News paper having general circulation in said DeKalb county and that the said Lewis Stits possesses the necessary qualifications to vend Spirituous Vinous or malt Liquors.
It Board then ordered Licence to be granted to the said Lewis Stits to sell intoxicating Liquors on the premises above described

Ordered that James N Chamberlain be allowed six
724 dollars and Seventy cts for services as Sheriff of DeKalb County

A Petition was presented to the Board which is in words and figures as follows
We the undersigned petitioners pray the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county and State of Indiana to grant a Road in Troy Township as follows commencing at the State Road on the North line of Section Twenty nine (29) where it strikes the East bank of Fish Creek and run along South on bank the bank of Fish Creek to A S Casebeers Saw Mill on land belonging to the heirs of James Casebeers Deceased thence across above said Saw Mill on A S Casebeers dam to strike the West bank of Fish Creek West of the Bridge across the waste way of A S Casebeers dam thence along the West bank above high water to the Mill thence West along A S Casebeers lane to the Fish Creek Road on the lands of A S Casebeers Nov 6.th 1862 Signed by

A S Casebeer A B Coats and others and Board of Commissioners being satisfied that Notice had been given more than Twenty days previous to the meeting of the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County as required by Law the Board upon due consideration grant the prayers of the petitioners and appoint Roger Aldrich Jabez Helwig and William Maxwell as viewers to view said above described Road and Report at the next session of the Board of Commissioners

A Petition is now presented to the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County praying for a Road view in Richland and Butler Townships which is in words and figures as follows

To Honorable Commissioners of DeKalb county and State of Indiana We the undersigned freeholders of said county do Respectfully petition your Honorable Board to appoint Viewers to view and locate and Establish a Road Commencing at the North West corner of Section twenty six (26) in Richland Township and thence south on the Section line until it intersects the Road running East and West past Orin G. Starks and Lewis Laymans in Butler Township and thence to End. The width of said Road to be thirty feet on the following lands owned by J. P. Bowers Solomon Olinger. Hilliard Dewit Samuel Swihart N. B. Ralston Peter Gregg, Eli Chapel John Moore A. Daily Jeremiah Nelson G. W. Minn William Brownell Lewis Spangler Lee Stansbury S. Weaver and George Pfeig. The Board being satisfied that the proper Notice has been given as required by Law twenty days or more previous to the meeting of the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county. The Board then appointed Elam Shiloch James M Chamberlain and Daniel Wilson Viewers of the above described Road

Come now W. Griswold, James Griswold and Joseph Davis viewers heretofore appointed by this Board, to wit at the September session thereof last past to review and assess damages on a certain road view in Richland Township in DeKalb Co. Ia upon petition of Joseph Kirkpatrick Michael Kline Sothers, and present and file in open session the order heretofore issued in this behalf in these words and figures (to wit) and said reviewers at the same time also present and file their report of said review setting forth among other things that no damage is sustained by said petitioners on account of the location of said road, which said report and the

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first thereon endorsed are in these words and figures (viz. in.)

Whereupon the Board being sufficiently advised in the premises and fully satisfied that the matters and things in said report mentioned are true as therein stated confirms the same and orders and directs that no damages be allowed to said petitioners on account of the location of said road, and that said viewers namely W. Griswold, James Griswold & L. D. Davis be each allowed one dollar for their services herein, and that said petitioners or remonstrators pay all costs herein. taxed at dollars and cents.

Whereupon said remonstrators pray an appeal to the DeKalb Circuit Court in this behalf, which prayer is granted by the Board. And forty days are allowed the remonstrators to file an appeal Bond Henry Huberman
John Brander
J. M. Brumbach

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735 Ordered that S. V. Widney be allowed one dollar and ninety seven cts for Stationary as per Bill on file

726 Ordered that Edward Wright be allowed forty one dollars and fifty seven cts for services as School Examiner of DeKalb County Indiana as per Bill on file

728 Ordered that L. G. Tilson be allowed two dollars for Brd furnished Mrs Conner a War Widow as per Bill on file

Petition for a public High Way is presented to the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county which is Words and figures as follows.

To the Hon. Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Ind. Indiana. The undersigned Freeholders of said county part of whom reside in the immediate vicinity of the High way hereinafter proposed to be located, would respectfully petition for the location of a highway running as follows commencing on the Road at the South West corner of Section Thirteen (13) Township Thirty four (34) North of Range Thirteen (13) East in said County and running thence north of the section line between Section Thirteen (13) and fourteen (14) and on by the quarter post till it intersects a Road now existing said Section line about forty (40) rods South of the North West corner of said Section

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Thirteen (13) Also commencing at the quarter post on the Section line between Section Thirteen (13) and Fourteen (14) and running due East till it strikes a Road now located on a line now dividing Section Thirteen and (13) equally North and South your petitioners represent that they with many other Citizens are compelled to travel a distance of Eight miles to market when if the Road was located as above indicated that it would save them four miles travel in going to market and that it would accomodate them greatly in many other respects all of which is Respectfully submitted Signed by Cornelius Widner and Others. The Board being satisfied that Notice has been given as required by Law. The Board granted the prayers of said petitioners and appointed William Strow Charles Falk and Josiah Anchoff as viewers of the above described Road to report at this March Session

729 Ordered that S. S. Morris be allowed Ten dollars for Medical attendance to Volunteers Women as per Bill on file

730 Ordered that Joseph G Loveland be allowed Thirteen dollars and on his Bill of Seventeen dollars and Twelve cts as per Bill on file for printing

731 Ordered that Dr J. R. Gorrill be allowed Twenty dollars for Medical attendance on Volunteer Women as allowed per Bill on file

733 Ordered that Clark and Long be allowed the sum of Seven dollars and fifty Two cts for provisions furnished Mrs Howard and Mrs Phelps as per Bill on Bill on file

732 Ordered that I. N. Trout be allowed the sum of Two dollars and Twenty four cts for goods furnished Volunteers Wives

735 Ordered that John Dittmas be allowed Three dollars for Repairing Bridge across Cedar Creek as per Bill on file

736 Ordered that Christopher Sheets be allowed Three dollars for 11 Gal. Cain Molasses furnished DeKalb County Asylum as per Bill on file

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737 Ordered that Geo W. Stout be allowed Thirty one dollars and fifty five cts for goods furnished Thos Howard as per Bill on file

738 Ordered that S. & A. Hale be allowed the sum of Thirteen dollars and fifty Eight cts for goods furnished Thos Howard as per Bill on file

739 Ordered that James N. Chamberlain be allowed one hundred and two dollars and two cts for services as Sheriff of DeKalb county Indiana as per Bill on file in the Auditors office

740 Ordered that Geo. W. Stout be allowed fourteen dollars and fifty cts for goods furnished Volunteer Warrum with goods as per Bill on file

741 Ordered that James Case W. be allowed Two dollars and Eighty five cts for stationary furnished DeKalb County as per Bill on file and certified to by S. H. Mowry and George Barney

742 Ordered that Norton Blake be allowed four dollars and forty two ninety two cts as per Bill on file

744 Ordered that Geo. W. Stout be allowed Fifty three cts as per Bill on file for goods furnished Mrs. Philips

743 Ordered that Mrs. Laura Bough be allowed the sum of Twelve dollars for Rent on House occupied by Mrs Howard in Union Town DeKalb county as per Bill on file

Joseph Plum comes now and presents his petition to sell Spirituous Liquors and Malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart to the Commissioners of DeKalb County and Board of Commissioners being satisfied that the proper and Legal Notice having been given in a News paper having genral circulation in said DeKalb County, said Petition asks that Licence be granted to sell Spirituous Liquors on premises described as follows "Wit Lot No Ninety four (94) C. P. in the Town of Auburn in said County and State of Indiana" and that the said Joseph Plum is deemed a proper person to sell Spirituous Liquor. The Board then ordered Licence to be granted to said Plum.

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Samuel Whittaut comes now and presents his petition to the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county to sell Spirituous Vinous and Malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart in his Grocery situated on Lot No one hundred and nineteen (119) in the town of Waterloo Union Township DeKalb County Indiana.
and the Board being satisfied that the proper and Legal Notice having given in some News paper having genral circulation in said county as required by Law and that the said Samuel Whittaut is a proper person to vend intoxicating Liquors upon due consideration grant the said Whittaut Licence for one year upon paying fifty dollars and filing his Bond as required by Law

Comes now Hiram D. Miller and presents his petition to the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county to sell spirituous Liquors in less quantities than a quart in Building now occupied by him on Lot No forty three (43) in the Town of Waterloo Union Township DeKalb county and State of Indiana and the Board being satisfied that the proper and Legal Notice having been given and that the said Hiram D. Miller possesses the necessary qualifications to vend intoxicating Liquors The Board upon due consideration grant the said Hiram D Miller Licence for one year upon paying fifty dollars and filing his Bond as required by Law

A Remonstrance is now presented to the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county which is in substance as follows

your petitioner Curtis A. Kinsey remonstrates against the location of a Road commencing at the East line of James Cooper's land being in the center of his land at a Tree notched by three notches and running due West through the center of said land to the East line of J. H. Boons land so as to strike a line running past said Boons House and Barn to the West line of Boons land thence running south to the town line road of Gray Township on the line between Boons land and Cooper's land thence on the line between Walter Cruse and Cooper's land to the said Township Road above

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Ordinarily

sentional yam petitioned praye the location of said Road will be one hundred dollars damage to him: He therefore asks the Board to appoint viewers to assess damages signed Curtis & Kreager upon due consideration the Board granted the prayer of the petitioner and appoint Frederick Huffman Henry Dewn and John Barber as viewers of the said above described Road for damage.

Robert Culbertson Athens Dragoo and Samuel Henderson the persons appointed viewers to view the following described Road Report as follows.

DeKalb county Indiana. 1862. We the viewers appointed to view said road did on the 4 day of October 1862 proceed to view the said Road as follows to wit. Commencing at the East end of the street in Spencerville near the Residence of John Zimmerman thence East Eight Rods thence running on the Right Bank of the Mill race 38 Rods thence in a direct line to the Stone Bridge across the St. Joseph River said Road to be fifty feet wide as described in the Order. We did view and mark out said road and are the viewers report said Road favorable and of great public utility upon due consideration the Board adopted the report and ordered said Road, Said out and located

Culbertson 669 745 746 Ordered that R. Culbertson be allowed five dollars and A Dragoo and S Henderson one dollar each

Isaac Kutzpen John Davis and Joshua Huffman the persons appointed to view the following described Road report as follows Oct 17. 1862 We the viewers appointed to said road did on the 17th day of October 1862 proceed to view the proposed Change of said Road as follows to-wit, Commencing at the point on the road running from Auburn in DeKalb county to Lisbon or Brown's Town in Noble county. Where said road strikes the Eastern line of Jacob S. Paulmer's farm in Sec. 15 Richland Township DeKalle County Indiana on a straight line from said Starting point to where said road strikes the Eastern line of the Section in said Township the viewers report favorable on said road and vacate so much of the

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Old road as may be necessary to run new and become road adopt the report and order the said road to be laid and declared passable. Dec ——— ——— ——— did view and mark out said road and see the Revenues report said Road favorable and of public utility

Said road to be forty feet

The Board do upon due consideration adopt the report and order said described road to be laid out and located

747 Ordered that Isaac Ruffman John Davis and Joshua
748 Ruffman be each allowed one dollar for viewing the above
749 described road

George Wolf Timothy McClure Reuben Ettinger the persons appointed to review the following described Road Report as follows.

We the revenue appointed to view said Road did on the 17. day of October 1862 proceed to review said road as follows to wit. Commencing at a point the quarter post at the center of Section twenty in Township thirty five North of Range 13. East thence east on the quarter Section passing through L. Jones & Dunn James Hail L. D. Williams William Shuman Morgan Shuman George Long Henry Hood E. R. Ettinger Shoemaker and lands by heirs of John Blood Deceased intersecting a north and south road Extending on Section County one in said Township as described in said order. We George Wolf Timothy McClure and Reuben Ettinger did review and mark out said road and see the Revenue report said Road as favorable

750 Ordered that Geo. Wolf be allowed one dollar as Revenue
751 of above road and Timothy McClure be allowed
752 two dollar as Revenue and Reuben Ettinger one dollars as Revenue of said road

Jacob Bonenbaum Isaac Dirke and Alonzo Shinn the persons appointed to view the following described road. Report as follows October 17. 1862.

We the viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 17 day of October 1862 proceed to view and locate said road as follows to wit Commencing at the East line of James Carpers land being in the center of his land

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at a tree marked by three notches and running due East through the center of said land to the East line of J. R. Boons land so as to intersect a line running past said Boons land thence running South to the South Lavon line road of Troy Township on the line between Boon and Craigs said to the said Lavon thence on the South line of Walters Guise and Craigs land to the said Lavon line Road above mentioned according to the orders to the viewers of said Road. We Jacob Emmenhaven Isaac Diehl and Alonzo Emmy did view and mark out said rout and we the viewers report said favorable and of public utility.
upon due consideration the Board adopted the report and ordered said road to be laid out and located
755 ordered that Isaac Diehl be allowed two dollars
754 and Alonzo Emmy and Jacob Emmenhaven be each
755 allowed one dollar for services as viewers of the above described road

Joshua Teagle and Edward Cadwell the persons appointed viewers on the following described road report as follows Nov 27. 1862
We the viewers appointed to view the said road did on the 13. day of September 1862 proceed to view and locate said road as follows to Wit.
commencing at the corner of Section No 35 and thirty six in Noble county and sec 30. and 31 in DeKalb county on the Auburn and St Mitchel road running South through lands owned by Aaron Van Gordon of Noble county John Funk of DeKalb county. John Stahl of Noble county Edward Kellam of DeKalb county George Draweck of Noble county. Mrs Mary Tatlow of DeKalb county John Drawcop and William Whan of Noble county Samuel Estell of DeKalb and Isaac Kramer of Noble county said Road to extend two miles South to intersect the road running out from Hiram Kramer in Swan Township Noble county Indiana as described in the order. We Joshua Teagle Edward Cadwell did view and mark out said rout and we the viewers report said road favorable and of public utility.
the hearing of the above matter is continued until

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Board adjourned until to Monday morning 9 O'Clock

Henry Shackelford
John Standen
J. H. Brumbock

4 day

Dec 4. 1862

Ordered that the Licenses granted Licensed Keepers at the present session of this Board be set aside and annulled as having been granted irregularly

Ordered that Isaac Dicks be allowed fifteen dollars
756 for relief of Mrs Heighy as per Bill on file

757 Ordered that Eston & Carr be allowed three dollars as per Bill on file

758 Ordered that P. H. Hopkins be allowed four dollars as per Bill on file

759 Ordered that D. L. Ralston be allowed fifteen dollars and ninety cts for goods furnished Ariel Watson a pauper as per Bill on file
Ordered that P. H. Dills be allowed five dollars for services assisting Coroner in holding inquest as entitled to by J. Plumb Coroner of DeKalb co.

761 Ordered that Joseph Beaubatter be allowed three dollars for making Coffin for J. Keasler as per Bill on file

Order that the following persons be allowed the sums set opposite their names respectively for services as jurors at Coroners inquest as certified by the Auditor of this County. to wit

762 Amos Hutchinson Seventy five cents
763 Alletus Barden Seventy five cents
764 J. B. Monroe Seventy five cents
765 Samuel Buck Seventy five cents
766 John McConnell Seventy five cents
767 J. A. Chaffee Seventy five cents
768 O. L. Ellis Seventy five cents
769 S. P. Harper Seventy five cents
770 J. W. Moody Seventy five cents
771 Henry B. Adams Seventy five cents
772 Henry B. Shook Seventy five cents
773 J. D. Bailey Seventy five cents

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Ordered that the following persons be allowed in each allowed Fifty cents. for services as Witnesses before coroner on inquest on the body of Joseph Hosler found dead. as certified by the Coroner of DeKalb County, to-wit

774 Thomas Phillips
775 Adam Kinney
776 Samuel Best
777 James Tossing
778 Alvin Tompkins
779 L. C. Smith
780 William Wallick
781 David Kroh
782 Amos Hutchinson
783 Henry Orr
784 Darius Cattins
786 Silas Jos. Hosler
787 Jas. Earl
788 Daniel Hosler.
789 Leslie Knapp.

790 Ordered that Stephen Masters be allowed Three & 70/100 Dollars for services as Constable at the above inquest as certified by said Coroner

Ordered that Jeremiah Plumb Coroner of this County be
734 allowed Five Dollars. for holding the inquest above mentioned) as certified by said Coroner.

563 Ordered that David N. Shull be allowed two dollars for paid order of Lott Herrick Trustee to Miss Margaret Akins rasfi of Valentien as per Bill on file

791 Ordered that George Barney be allowed one hundred and forty four dollars and forty Eight cts for dishursing 4% & County fund and for redeeming and filing County Orders as per Bill on file

Petition for License by Lewis Lists & bond & ordered to March session 1863 in consequence of a Remonstrance being presented and laid on ordered

672 Ordered that Samuel Shipman be allowed two dollars for carrying a pauper to Noble County as per Bill on file as certified to by the said Shipman

Ordered by the Board that John N. Miller be, and he is hereby appointed County Agent of DeKalb County Indiana

715 Ordered that Joseph Maynell be allowed Seventy Two dollars in full of all accounts up to date as allowed by Board of Commissioners for services as superintendant of DeKalb County Asylum

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714 Ordered that John Funke be allowed Nine dollars and seventy five cts for Butter furnished Dekalb County Asylum as per Bill on file

A Remonstrance is now presented to the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county, which is in these words and figures,

We the undersigned do remonstrate against the opening of a road taken of notice has been given of a Petition which is to be presented to the Board of County commissioners at its December term (1862) against the most prominent Reasons why we do think the said road ought not to be located are first The said Jasima Kelly has land which runs out to the road leading from Waterloo City to Hamilton. and he can conveniently get out on to the road through his own land second if said road is located it will do great injury to the farm on which it is said from the fact that said road would divide a field in two parts with only about an acre and one half on one side of the road and no chance to make it larger. Third this road is exclusively for the accommodation of one man and we think it altogether unnecessary when he can get to the road through his own land. If said road should be laid through the farm contemplated John Taylor's it would be a damage of at least two hundred dollars to said farm. The Board upon due consideration grant the prayers of the petitioners and appoint George Wolf Jeremiah Hemsheet and Timothy McClure viewers to assess damages

George Eggen Alonzo Henry and Peter H Brandon the persons appointed as viewers to view the following described road to wit, Report as follows

We the persons appointed to view said road did on the 26. day of June 1862 proceed to view said road as follows to wit, (and lay out the same to the width of 40 feet as follows to wit commencing on the South West corner of Section No fourteen (14) thence North along the section line of 14 & 11 into Section 2 to the corner.

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Wednesday

of Silas Ockes land thence North so as to intersect the State road, coming from Norristown to Hamilton as described in the order. We George Egnue Hongo Finny and P. H. Brandon did view and mark out said road and are the viewers report said road favorable and of public utility
The Board upon due consideration adopt the report and order the foregoing described road to be laid out and opened The width of the above described road to be 40 feet
792 Ordered that George Egnue Hongo Finny and Peter H.
793 Brandon be each allowed one dollar for services as viewers
794 of the above described road

Harrison Jones Wellington Kennington Henry Shubert the persons appointed to view the following described road report as follows.
We the undersigned viewers appointed to view said road did on the 17th day of October 1862 proceed to view said Road as follows to wit, commencing fifty Rods North of Hatfield Center thence North on the line between A Burk and Moses Gonsets land thence West on the line of A Burk and John Chacy until it intersects the old Road as described in the order. We did view and mark out said road and are the viewers report said road unfavorable and not of public utility

795 Ordered that Harrison Jones Wellington Kennington and
796 Henry Shubert be allowed one ~~hundred~~ dollar and
797 ~~fifty~~ cts for services as viewers of the above described road

The Board Adjourned to 9. O Clock to Morrow Morning

Henry Funkelman
John Brandon
Jos. Brumbach

The Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present same as yesterday
Ordered an appropriation to be made of Twenty five dollars for Repairing Bridge across Cedar Creek on road from Auburn to Spencerville under the supervision of John Brandon one of the Board of Com.

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Friday

798 Ordered that O. B. Mott allowed one dollar for writing agreement and Bond between DeKalb county Commissioners and Superintendent of County Asylume

Ordered that Daniel Kaise be allowed Ten dollars for keeping cattle off poor farm as per Bill on file

Ordered that Lewis Graham be allowed one
799 dollar and twenty five cts for sawing wood for Auditors office as per Bill on file

670 Ordered that Geo Kuhlman be allowed Ninety three cts furnishing and repairing office as per Bill on file

Ordered that Geo Kuhlman be allowed four-
671 teen dollars and Forty cts for services as Auditor of DeKalb County

800 Ordered that Joseph Maxwell be allowed fifty five cts for money paid out for paupers as per Bill on file

Ordered that Henry Fusselman John Brandon and
667 J. M. Brumback be each allowed fifteen dollars
668 for five days services as Commissioners of said DeKalb county

Ordered that John N Miller be
699 allowed Ten dollars for attending Commissioners Court five days

672 Ordered that George Kuhlman be allowed seven dollars and forty five cts for services as Auditor of DeKalb County Indiana.

There being no more business on hand the Board adjourned to the next Regular session.

801 Ordered that J. M. Brumback be allowed Twelve dollars for four days services as Commissioner of DeKalle County Indiana

Henry Fusselman
John Brandon
J. M. Brumback

Vacation January 1863

Deed
Auditor DeKalb Co
To
W. H. Madden

Whereas W. H. Madden assignee of Mary Cakright Administratrix of the Estate of Samuel Cakright deceased, has paid Twenty six dollars and twenty five cts the same being the payment in full for the South West quarter of the North West quarter of Section sixteen (16) Township Thirty four (34) North of Range fourteen East in DeKalb county and State of Indiana, containing forty Acres more or less, Now Know ye, that for and in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the Statute in such cases made and provided, I George Kuhlman Auditor in and for said county of DeKalb and State of Indiana for and in the name of the inhabitants of congressional Township No Thirty four North of Range fourteen East, do give and grant unto the said W. H. Madden the said South West quarter of North West quarter of Section 16. sixteen in said Township and Range, and to his Heirs and assigns forever

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name as Auditor of DeKalb county and affixed the seal of the Board of commissioners of said county This 21. day of January 1863.

George Kuhlman
Auditor DeKalb co.

State of Indiana }
DeKalb county } ss Personally appeared before me the undersigned Justice of the Peace of said county George Kuhlman Auditor of said county and acknowledged the execution of the annexed conveyance

Witness my hand and official seal this January 21. 1863

J. D. Davis Justice

815 Issued order to Judge Blakely for one hundred and fourteen dollars and fifteen cents for services as Judge of common Pleas court up to February 15. 1863

813 Issued order to J. W. Cummings for services as District Attorney up to Dec. 1. 1862

Deed.
Auditor of DeKalb County
To
Samuel Till Jr.
Recorded February 14. 1863

Whereas. Samuel Till Jr. assignee of William Huffman who was a joint assignee with said Till of Joshua Webb. now deceased has paid one hundred dollars, the same being the payment in full for the South half of the north half of the north west quarter of Section sixteen, in Township thirty five north of Range thirteen east, in DeKalb County and State of Indiana, containing forty acres more or less.

Now know Ye. that for and in consideration of the premises, and in conformity with the Statute in such case made and provided, I. George Kuhlman. Auditor in and for said County of DeKalb and State of Indiana, for and in the name of the Inhabitants of Congressional Township No. thirty five north of Range thirteen east, do give and grant unto the said Samuel Till Jr. the said South half of the north half of the north west quarter of Section sixteen in said Township and Range, and to His Heirs and assigns forever.

In witness whereof, I Hereunto Subscribe my name as Auditor aforesaid DeKalb County, and affix the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County this 14. day of February 1863

Geo. Kuhlman Aud. (Seal)

State of Indiana
DeKalb County ss. Personally appeared before the undersigned a Justice of the Peace of said County. George Kuhlman. Auditor of said County, and acknowledged the execution of the annexed conveyance.

Witness my official signature and seal this 14. day of February 1863.

I. D. Davis, Justice (Seal)

March Session March 2. 1863

The Board of commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana Met in pursuance of law. Present John Brandon and J. M. Brumbuck also J. N. Miller Sheriff and Geo Kuhlman Clerk

The Trustee of Butler Township Daniel Z Kaffman presented his Report of the Receipts and expenditures of said Township for the year ending March 1st 1863. which being satisfactory the Board accepted

849 Allowed Daniel Z. Kaffman Forty dollars and Seventy five cts for services as Trustee of Butler Township for year ending Mar 1 1863

The Trustee of Richland Township now presents his Report of the Receipts and expenditures of said Township for the year ending March 1st 1863. Which being satisfactory the Board accepted the Report

850 Allowed Levi Brown Fifty Eight dollars for services as Trustee of Richland Township for year ending March 1st 1863

851 Allowed Bean and Tompkins Four dollars for Blank furnished Mrs. Conner a Soldiers Wife

852 Allowed Bean and Tompkins one dollar and fifty cts for Blank furnished Mrs. Lordrag.

853 Allowed S. W. Ralston one dollar and 50 cts for oil furnished Treasurer DeKalb Co.

Samuel Wetherall comes now and presents his petition for license to sell Spirituous Vinous and Malt Liquors in less quantities than quart and the Board being satisfied that proper and legal notice having been given and that the said Samuel Wetherall is a person of good Moral character therefore

License said Ordered that License be granted to Samuel Wetherall to sell Spirituous vinous and Malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart on his premises situated on Lot No 109 in the Town of Waterloo Butler Township DeKalb county Indiana

854 Allowed S. W. Ralston Thirty six dollars and Seventy cts for goods furnished Soldiers Wives as certified to by Sheriff of DeKalb County

855 Allowed B. A. Chaffee Fifty one dollars and fifty one cts for goods furnished Soldiers Wives

The Trustee of Jackson Township S. G. Olson presented his Report of the Receipts and Expenditures of said Township for the year ending March 1st 1863. The Board accepted the Report

856 Allowed S. G. Olson Fifty nine dollars and Seventy five cts for services as Trustee of Jackson Township

857 Allowed Daniel Watters Seven dollars and Nineteen cts for goods furnished DeKalb county Poor House

John Brandon

J. M. Brumbuck

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Board met Tuesday Morning March 3. 1863 pursuant to adjournment present Same as yesterday

858 Allowed Geo. Barney Two dollars and Eighty five cts for fees paid Esq Vanswinkle and Esqr Matheus for reporting fees in State cases

859 Allowed Stuckel & Wolf Sixty seven dollars and Eighty seven cts for goods furnished Wm Middaugh and Dekalb Co. poor House

860 Allowed Washington Secters Six dollars and Six cts for Wood furnished Clerks Office of Dekalb county. Indiana

861 Allowed John Ralston Seventy five dollars for Extra services as Clerk of Circuit court of Dekalb county Indiana

862 Allowed John Ralston Eight dollars and Thirty four cts for Stationery furnished Dekalb county

Hiram J. Miller comes now and presents his petition for Licences to sell Spirituous Liquor Vinous and Malt. in less quantities than a quart, and the Board being satisfied that the said Hiram J. Miller is a person of good moral character therefore Ordred that License be granted to Hiram J. Miller to sell Spirituous liquors and malt liquors in less quantities than a quart on his premises situated on Lot No 46 in the Town of Waterloo Union Township Dekalb County Indiana

864 Allowed John Thomas Seventy dollars for Keeping Henry Thomas a pauper of Dekalb county

Henry Shellack and David Weaver the persons appointed to view the following described Report as follows
We the viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 17. day of February 1863 proceed to view said Road as follows to-wit, commencing at the North West corner of section Seventy six in Richland Township and thence South on the section line until it intersects the Road running East and West past Orrin G. Clarke and Lewis Lehman in Butler Township and there to end, Width of said Road to be Thirty feet on the following lands owned by J. P. Barnes Solomon Olinger and Jacob Olinger Willard Leavitt Samuel Burkhart A. B. Ralston, Peter Gregg Eli Grassel John Moore Andr Bailey Jeremiah Miller D. M. Miller Willard Brainerd Lewis Spangler Tice Blanchard Samuel Weaver and Wm. Essig as described in the order, We did view and mark out said Road and we the viewers Report said Road favorable and of public utility

865 Allowed Henry Shellack and David Weaver one dollar each for viewing Roads

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Remonstrance is now presented which is in words and figures as follows to-wit.

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county and in the State of Indiana. The undersigned remonstrates against the Staking out and location of a Road. Commencing at the South West corner of section Twenty six (26) in Richland township and running thence South on section lines until it intersects the Road mining east and West in Butler township past Orrin C. Clark and Lewis Lehmans and running on lands owned by J. P. Barnes Salomon Abrigo Willard Dewitt Samuel Sinchart A B. Ralston Jeremiah Mellin W. Mellen Brainerd & W Mellen Lewis Spangler Sice Stansbury & Means and George Esq. and says that said proposed Highway would run on and through his land one hundred and sixty Rods on West side of West half South West quarter of Sec 2 in Richland and 80 Rods on the east side of South east ¼ of S. E. of Sec 27. in said township of the width of thirty feet and further says that said proposed highway when located would damage him in the sum of three hundred dollars which he demands before the location or opening of said highway signed Willard Dewitt

upon due consideration the Board granted the prayer of the Remonstrance and appointed. James M. Hartshorn. Daniel Leitz. and Jacob S. Partner viewers to assess damages

Trustee of Wilmington Township now presents his Report which being satisfactory the Board accepts

Allowed Philip B. Simmons Thirty nine dollars and Twenty five cts for services as Trustee of Wilmington Township out of the Sp fund

Isaac Diehl the Trustee of Stafford Township now presents his Report of the receipts and expenditures of Stafford Township for the year ending March 1. 1863. the Board accepted the Report and ordered that Twenty Eight dollars and Eighty five cts be allowed the Isaac Diehl for services as Trustee of Stafford Township.

866 Allowed Mrs. D. Franklin Five dollars & 50 for taking care of Wm. H. Allen while sick

867 Allowed S. S. Isherwood Sixteen dollars for goods furnished poor

868 Allowed P. B. Simmons Three dollars and seventy five cts for services in overseeing poor

869 Allowed Cornelius Widner Six dollars for keeping Idiot pauper

870 Allowed J. N. Mellen Six dollars for serving orders to Road viewers

871 Allowed J. Reif one hundred and Twenty dollars for goods furnished poor

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Trustee of Concord Township Sal Kennick presented his Report of the Receipts and expenditures of Concord Township for the year ending March 1. 1863 the Report being satisfactory the Board accepted it Allowed Sal Kennick Fifty Dollars 50 dollars for services as Trustee

873 Allowed Stephen Morris Eight dollars for money furnished Soldiers women

874 Allowed Simon Pelts Ten dollars for acting Volunteer Warner

875 Allowed C. C. Haughtair Thirteen dollars and Nineteen cts for Flour furnished poor House and county Agent.

876 Allowed B. B. Long Twelve dollars and fifty Eight cts for goods furnished Mrs. W. Sleutz

Allowed W. R. Emmons Forty two dollars for services as Trustee of Grant Tp.

Allowed John Faskinan Thirty four dollars and Ninety five cts for services as Trustee of Franklin Township

Trustee of Franklin Township presented his Report which was accepted for the year ending March 1. 1863.

877 Allowed Lewis Bachert One dollar and Seventy five cts for sawing Wood for the Commrs

To the honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county and State of Indiana. We the undersigned petitioners pray your Honorable Body to grant a Private Road in Grant Township as follows commencing at the quarter post at the West side of Section Thirty (30) and to run east until it strikes the Road running North and South on the East side of Section (30) Running through lands belonging to A. B. Cochran Jacob Fisher Carlisle Olds David Miller and W. R. Emmons Grant Township DeKalb county Indiana Feb. 8. 1863 There being no Remonstrance the Board grant the prayers of the petitioners and order said Road located and opened Road laid out Thirty feet wide Signed Jacob Fisher & all, paid

878 Allowed Michael Long One dollar and forty two cts for Beef furnished poor House

879 Allowed Lewis Bannes Seven dollars and Ninety Eight cts for goods furnished DeKalb county Asylum

880 Allowed George Leland Two dollars and Twenty five cts for Hauling Bags on poor farm

881 Allowed Joseph Beachatter Two dollars for making coffins for Child of J. Hasler

882 Allowed Lewis Bannes Two dollars and Ninety Seven cts for materials furnished Auditors office

883 Allowed S. W. Ralston one hundred dollars and Thirty six cts for goods furnished poor House

884 Allowed Jacob Kahn Thirteen dollars and Thirty three cts for Groceries furnished DeKalb county poor House

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A Petition for a Road is now presented to the Board which is in words and figures as follows to wit.
To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county Ind.
The undersigned citizens of said County do petition your honorable Board. to make an order vacating the following described public Highway in Jackson Township in said county to-wit:
commencing at a point on the section line in said Township between sections five (5) and Eight (8) fifty Rods west of the South East corner of the South West quarter of Section five (5) and running thence in a North easterly direction until it intersects the road running to Auburn Indiana directly north through the center of said section five (5). Said proposed vacation being through land owned by Jacob Dugus signed William Corn John A Ditmar and others
Upon due consideration The Board appointed Isaac Rentgen. John Davis and Joshua J. Haffman viewers
887 Allowed U.S. Hare Three dollars and fifty three ¢ 363 as entitled to by Co Agent.
888 Allowed U.S. Hare Eight dollars and seventy five cts for goods furnished Dekalb county poor farm.
Fredrick Haffman Henry Doner and John Barber came now and make the following Report February 20. 1863
We viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 20th day of February 1863 proceed to view and locate said Road as follows To-Wit:
commencing at the East line of James Teagues land. being in the center of his land at a tree notched by three notches and running due West through the center of said land. to the East line of J. H. Boons land so as to intersect a line running past said Boons House and Barn to the West line of Boons land. thence running South to the Section line Road of Troy Township on the line between Watts heirs and Teagues land to the said Township Road above described. and assess fifteen dollars damages. We Fredrick Haffman Henry Doner and John Barber did review and mark out said Road and we the Reviewers report said Road favorable and of Public utility the Width of said Road to be Seventy five feet. Upon due deliberation the Board accepted the Report and ordered the Road opened and located upon the payment of the damages assessed by the said Reviewers commissioners not being willing to pay damages
889 890 Allowed Fredrick Haffman Henry Doner and John Barber one dollar
891 each for services as Road Viewers

A Petition is now presented to the Board which is in words and figures as follows to Wit: To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county Indiana. We the undersigned freeholders of Union Township in said county. Petition your Honorable Body to appoint viewers to review a Road for a Township Road to commence on the North side of the Mc. S.

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and A.L. R.R. where the East line of Section four (4) Township 34 Range 13 East crosses said R.Rs. and Run from thence West along said R.Rs. to the West Line of said Section and if such survey Should report favorable, We pray your honorable Body to Locate and establish the same as a public Neighbourhood Road. Union Township Feb. 4. 1863 signed D.R. Riddle B.B. Long and others

The Board grant the prayers of the Petitioners and appoint George Frick Jeremiah Plum and Abraham McEntarfer as viewers of said Road.

William Straw Charles Falk and Jacob Dunkaf come now and make the following Report February 26. 1863.
We the viewers appointed to view said Road, did on the 25. day of February 1863 proceed to view and mark out said Road as follows. To Wit. Commencing on the Road at the South West corner of Section Thirteen (13) Township Thirty four North of Range 13 East in Said County and running thence North of the Section Line between Sections Thirteen (13) and Fourteen (14) and on by the quarter post until it intersects a Road now running said Section Line at the North West corner of Section 13. Also Commencing at the quarter post on the Section Line between Sections Thirteen (13) and Fourteen (14) and due East till it strikes a Road now located on a Line now dividing Section Thirteen (13) equally North and South. the Road on the Section Line to be forty feet wide and the Road on the quarter section line to be 30. feet wide as described in the Order. We William Straw Charles Falk and Jacob Dunkaff did view and mark out said Road and are the opinion report said Road favorable and of Public utility said Road to be forty feet wide. The Board adopted the Report and order said Road to be Located and opened

Allowed William Straw Charles Falk and Jacob Dunkaff one dollar each for services as Road viewers

Came now George Wolf Jeremiah Kenstiet and Timothy Helmer and present the following Report. To the Hon. Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana. We the viewers appointed to view a private Road or Neighbourway 30 feet wide prayed for by Isabella Reilly and others described as follows. Commencing at the West line of John Reilly's land as follows beginning about forty Rods South of the North west corner of Section Twenty in Franklin Township Township in said county on the Section line between Section nineteen (19) and Twenty (20) in said Township running thence due west across said John Taylors land to the Auburn and Hamilton road which runs diagonally across Section Nineteen, and to assess damages occasioned by the location of said private Road To the owners of land injured

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Hanby, named report that we have viewed said granted described. and locate said Road as follows. commencing forty three 43 Rods South of the North West corner of Section 20. on Section line between Sections Nineteen and Twenty in Franklin Township DeKalb county Indiana and running thence west till it strikes the Knightway running from Auburn to Hamilton of the width of Twenty feet and that said Route is the best Location for a Road in that vicinity to be of advantage to petitioners and that it will cause the least damage to any one who Remonstrates, and we assess damages to John Sayler in the sum of Forty five dollars, Edward George Wolf Jeremiah Kennistun and Timothy McClure. The Board accepted the Report and ordered the above described Route to be located and opened upon the payment by the Petitioners the damages assessed by the above named viewers. The parties remonstrating appeal from the decision of the Board of Commissioners to the Court of Common Pleas

The Board adjourned to Wednesday Morning John Brandon

J. M. Brumbach

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Board met pursuant to adjournment present same as yesterday

895 Allowed Clark and Long Seven dollars and twenty one cts for goods furnished poor

896 Allowed Geo. W. Grant Eight dollars and Eighty one cts for goods furnished Soldiers Woman

897 Allowed Geo. Bamey Twenty three dollars and Twenty one cts for services as Treasurer of DeKalb county

898 Allowed Clark and Long Eight dollars and Twenty Eight cts for goods furnished Mrs Sumner

899 Allowed Lucinda McBride seven dollars and twenty seven cts for work done at poor House

900 Allowed G. W. Lease one dollar and fifty seven cts for Stationery

901 Allowed Charles McBride Eight dollars and Forty three cts for work done at poor farm

902 Allowed Joseph Maxwell Twenty five dollars for superintending poor farm

Trustee of Union Township Timothy McClure presented his Report of the Receipts and expenditures of Union Township for the year ending March 1, 1863. The accepted the Report and ordered

Allowed Timothy McClure Forty four dollars and Twenty five cts for services as Trustee of Union Township DeKalb County

903 Allowed J. Adams Thirty cts for goods furnished poor House

Allowed William Rodarmer Twelve dollars for nursing Mrs Brownlee a Soldiers Woman.

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Ordered that Angi Bailey be and is hereby appointed Commissioner of DeKalb county to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Hand Freedman one of the Board heretofore. To serve until his successor is elected and qualified

Ordered that Dwight Moody be and is hereby appointed Trustee of Newville Township DeKalb county until his successor is elected and qualified there being a vacancy in that office at the present time

Trustee of Sandfield Township Mr. Gansen now presents his Report of the Receipts and expenditures of said Township for the year ending March 1. 1863

Allowed Mr. Gansen Forty seven dollars and Ninety cts for services as Trustee

Trustee of Newville Township D. Moody presented his Report of the receipts and expenditures of said Township for the year ending March 1. 1863 the Board accepted the Report and ordered Allowed Albert N. Blasdell Thirty two dollars for services as Trustee of Newville

Allowed William H. Rodamer Twelve dollars for goods furnished poor.

Trustee of Smithfield Township Freeman Kelly presents his Report now of the Receipt and expenditures of paid Township for the year ending March 1 1863 which being satisfactory the Board accepted and ordered Allowed Freeman Kelly Forty nine dollars for services as Trustee

John Helwig and William Maxwell viewers heretofore appointed to view a proposed highway make the following Report to wit

January 30th 1863. We the viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 30th day of January 1863 proceed to view and Locate said Road as follows to wit - Commencing at the State road on the North line of Section Twenty nine (29) where it strikes the East bank of Fish creek and running along South on the Bank of Fish creek to A. S. Casebeers Saw Mill on the land belonging to the heirs of James Casebeer dec. thence across above said Saw Mill on A. S. Casebeers dam to strike the West bank of Fish creek. West of the bridge across the waste-way of A.S. Casebeers dam thence along the West bank above high water mark to a Butternut tree by the Mill thence West along A.S. Casebeers lane to the Fish creek road on the lands of A.S. Casebeers. Troy township - as described in the order. We John Helwig and William Maxwell did view and mark out said road and we the viewers report said road favorable and of public utility & to be 40 feet - John Helwig } viewers
William Maxwell }

And the Board upon due deliberation accept said Report and order the said Road to be opened and located -

Allowed John Helwig two Dollars and Wm Maxwell One Dollar for services as viewers as above -

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Joshua Feagler a viewer appointed by this Board at the September Session 1862 to act in conjunction with another to be appointed by the County Commissioners of Noble County to view a proposed highway on the line between this and said Noble County, makes the following report to-wit November 27. 1862

We the viewers appointed to view the road below described did on the 13 day of September 1862 proceed to view and locate said road as follows to-wit Commencing at the corner of Section No 25 and Thirty-six in Noble County and Sec. thirty and thirty one in DeKalb on the Auburn and Port Mitchell road running South through lands owned by Aaron Van Gordon of Noble County John Crabb of DeKalb John Stahl of Noble County Edward Kelham of DeKalb County George Draweest of Noble County Mrs Mary Lister of DeKalb County John Draweox and William Shaw of Noble County Samuel Axtell of DeKalb County and Moses Cramer of Noble County. said road to extend two miles South to intersect the road running out from Hiram Kramers in Swan township Noble County Indiana as described in the order. We Joshua Feagler & Edward Cadwell did view and mark out said road and on the viewers report said road favorable and of the width of forty feet to be of public utility & that the prayers of the petitioners ought to be granted Joshua Feagler - Edward Cadwell } viewers -

And thereupon a remonstrance was filed which is in these words to-wit. "July 28 AD 1862 To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County & State of Ind. We the undersigned citizens of the district do respectfully remonstrate against the location of a road running through our lands and district. Commencing at the Auburn and port Mitchell road thence South two miles on the County line between DeKalb and Noble County and we the undersigned do consider the location of two miles a nuisance when one mile would accommodate all that are in need of a road and could be made at less than one twentieth part of the expenses or labour - Signed by A A Vangorden & Kelham and others - And thereupon after hearing the evidence of the parties. the petitioners thereupon asks and obtains leave to withdraw the said petition and dismiss the application -

997 Ordered that Joshua Feagler be allowed two Dollars for services as road viewer as above -

Comes now Joseph Hopper Peter Kramer and twenty nine others and present a remonstrance which is in these words to-wit - To the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County Indiana. Your petitioners respectfully represent that a public highway commencing at the quarter post on the South line of Section Nineteen in Richland township in said County then running North on the quarter section line through Section

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Section eighteen and section seven to the quarter post on the north line of said section seven was asked for by a petition presented to said Board heretofore and a view of said location by viewers appointed by your Board made report favorable to said location at the September session 1862 of your Board. Your petitioners of whom Peter Reams and David Pepper are freeholders residing along such highway therefore object to said location of said road as not being of public utility." And the Board being satisfied that said remonstrance was filed previous to the final action heretofore made at the December session 1862. upon motion of said remonstrants and agreement of counsel the Board set aside the said final action and permits the filing and presentation of said remonstrance - And thereupon the Board appoint Jeremiah Plume Jacob McEnterfer and Jeremiah Hostetler viewers to examine said proposed highway and report upon the public utility of said road at the next session of this Board -

908 Ordered that A. Perrine ~~McClellan~~ and J.G. Dancer be each
909 allowed One Dollar for services as road viewers -

A petition for the location of a road in Fairfield Township is now presented which is in these words - to wit;
To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Noble County Indiana. Your humble petitioners residents of Fairfield Township in said County pray your Honorable body to grant view of an alteration and vacation of a road running from Fairfield Center to the Noble County line said alteration to commence at the South East Corner of Sec 16 Town west in the line between John Mantz and William Nastoffer and Jacob Bechler land to intersect the old road about One Hundred rods from the place of beginning and your humble petitioners will ever pray. January 27 1863 John Mantz William Nastoffer and others - (And the Board upon due consideration now here appoint John Buchanan Willard Childs and David Reinoehl to view said proposed change and report at the next session

910 Allowed C.S. Hare One & ⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars for a pair shoes furnished Mrs Dr Squiers a Volunteers Mother

911 Allowed Thomas Linney Five & ⁴⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars for Blacksmithing for poor farm as certified by Co Superintendent -

912 Allowed L. G. Dickinson Two & ⁹³/₁₀₀ Dollars for Coal Brooks furnished family of Perry Rodgers a volunteer as certified by Township Trustee

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413 Allard & Eldridge three Dollars for Brandy & Gin furnished the Poor Asylum as certified by Superintendent

The Township Trustees of the several townships now present their seperate recommendations for the laying of taxes in their several townships for the present year. as follows.

In Butler Twp	For Township purposes.	One Hundred	Dollars	
" "	" Road purposes 1¼ cts on each acre & 15 cts on each poll.	"	"	
" "	" Special School. 50 cts on each poll & 25 cts	"	100.	"
Jackson "	" Township purposes & clerk	"	100	"
" "	" Road " 1¼ on each acre & 15 cents	"	100	"
" "	" Special school. 50 cts " poll & 25 "	"	100.	"
Concord "	" Township " 15 cents	"	100	"
" "	" Road " 1¼ cts on each acre & 15 "	"	100	"
" "	" Special school " 50 " " " poll & 25 "	"	100	"
Newville "	" Township "		70	"
" "	" Road " 1¼ " " " acre & 15 "	"	100	"
" "	" Special School " 50 " " " poll & 25 "	"	100	"
Stafford "	" Township "		70	"
" "	" Road " 1¼ " " " acre & 15 "	"	100	"
" "	" Special School. 50 " " " poll & 25 "	"	100	"
Willington "	" Road " 1¼ " " " acre & 15 "	"	100	"
" "	" Special School " 50 " " " poll & 25 "	"	100	"
Union "	" Township " 8 " " "		100	"
" "	" Road " 1¼ " " " acre & 15 "	"	100	"
" "	" Special School. 50 " " " poll & 25 "	"	100	"
Richland "	" Township "		100	"
" "	" Road " 1¼ " " " acre & 15 "	"	100	"
" "	" Special School. 50 " " " poll & 25 "	"	100	"
Fairfield "	" Township " 10 " " "		100	"
" "	" Road " 1¼ " " " acre & 15 "	"	100	"
" "	" Special School " 50 " " " poll & 25 "	"	100	"
Smithfield "	" Road " 1¼ " " " acre & 15 "	"	100	"
" "	" Special School " 50 " " " poll & 25 "	"	100	"
Franklin "	" Township "		100	"
" "	" Road " 1¼ " " " acre & 15 "	"	100	"
" "	" Special School. 25 " " " poll & 12 "	"	100	"
Perry "	" Road " 1¼ " " " acre & 15 "	"	100	"
" "	" Special School " 50 " " " poll & 25 "	"	100	"

And upon due consideration the Board concurs in said recommendations, and orders that said sums as aforesaid be levied for the purposes therein expressed - And that the Auditor of said County place the same upon the tax duplicate for the present year -

March Session March 4. 1863

And the Board adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock A.M.

John Blanden
J. H. Brumbach

March 5th 1863

4th day Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same officers as yesterday — Amzi Seely the person heretofore appointed to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Hon Henry Fesselman heretofore a member of this Board — now presents his certificate of appointment with his oath of office thereon endorsed which oath is in these words:

"State of Indiana }
"DeKalb County } I Amzi Seely do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Indiana and that I will honestly and faithfully discharge the duties of Commissioner of the 3rd district district in DeKalb County in said State according to law & the best of my ability: So help me God Amzi Seely —
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of March. 1863
Jno. Ralston Clerk DeKalb Circuit Court

Ordered by the Board that in the allowances heretofore made to the Township Trustees of the same is ordered to be drawn upon the Township fund of the proper township —

The Board now proceed to select the names of twelve persons to serve as Grand Jurors for the April Term 1863 of the DeKalb Circuit Court and having selected the names of sixty persons from the tax duplicate of 1862 being five from each civil township having the necessary legal qualification. And the said names being deposited in a box for that purpose the clerk of the said Court in the presence of the Board drew therefrom the following names to wit —

Jacob Wiles	Concord Twsp	Josiah Inhoff	Union Twsp
Levit Goodchild	Jackson "	Peter Brush	Richland "
Todd Ensley	Butler "	Henry Gardner	Fairfield "
Joseph Bradley	Newville "	John D. Porter	Smithfield "
B. F. Ironwood	Stafford "	John Newmand	Franklin "
George W. Mapes	Wilmington "	John A. Gregg	Troy "

And at the same time and in the same manner the following names were drawn to serve as Grand Jurors for the October or second term of the present Circuit Court to wit —

George Colwell	Butler Twsp	Jacob McClaffer	Union Twsp

Jas McClellan	Jackson Tesp		Hamilton "
John Boyle Jun	Concord "	Jacob S. Palmer	Richland "
George W Lewis	Amelia "	Moses Snider	Fairfield "
Chas R Wannemaker	Stafford "	James Kelly	Smithfield "
Andrew Smith	Wilmington "	Thomas Kelly	Franklin "
		Isaac Jennings	Troy "

914 Ordered that S. N. Medary be allowed One & 10/100 Dollars for Stationery furnished Recorders office as certified by the County Recorder —

916 Ordered that Jerry Plum Deputy Sheriff be allowed One & 00/100 Dollars for services summoning & Notifying Angel Lesly of his appointment as County Commissioner —

917 Ordered that John A Miller Sheriff be allowed Seventy Seven & 00/100 Dollars for Board clothing and Medicines furnished Ariel Walden and James Culbertson as paupers — as certified by him —

Ordered that John A Miller Sheriff be allowed Seventy & 20/100 Dollars for services as Jailer in boarding &c Criminals as certified by him

918 Ordered that John A Miller Sheriff be allowed Ten Dollars for summoning Jury for Sunny Term 1863 of Common Pleas Court as certified by him

919 Ordered that John A Miller, Sheriff be allowed Seventy five Dollars for extra services as Sheriff for quarter ending March 1st 1863 —

920 Ordered that M & A Hale be allowed Thirty & 70/100 Dollars for Board clothing and groceries furnished the following persons the same being Volunteers families viz Mrs Hodges Mrs Phelps Mrs Howard and Mrs Brooks, as certified by Trustee of Union Twp.

921 Ordered that George Waggoner be allowed One Dollar for Medicine furnished Co Agent, as certified by said Agent —

922 Ordered that Mary Lo Moore be allowed Thirteen & 00/100 Dollars for 270 lbs Beef furnished County asylum

Ordered that Lewis Drabert be allowed One & 04/100 Dollars for Wood
923 furnished for Auditors office as certified by County Auditor —

924 Ordered that John Culver be allowed Two & 10/100 Dollars for Wood furnished Auditors office as certified by County Auditor —

925 Ordered that Robt Work be allowed Three & 25/100 Dollars for 25 Gallons Vinegar furnished Co asylum as certified by Superintendent –

927 Ordered that Hamilton & Rank be allowed Two & 25/100 Dollars for flour & Meal furnished family of Volunteer upon order of Co. agent

928 Ordered that George Helwig be allowed One & 50/100 Dollars for notifying Coroner in case of Joseph Hosler dec'd –

929 Ordered that William Sheets be allowed Nineteen dollars for stationery furnished DeKalb county

930 Allowed J. C. Loveland one dollars and fifty cts for publishing Notice of Inquest

931 Allowed Two dollars and seventy five cts for one copy of New Era and publishing Notice to assessors to J. C Loveland.

932 Allowed J C Loveland Sixty Nine dollars for publishing delinquent List

933 Allowed William Braden Thirty dollars and forty cts for stationery furnished DeKalb county Indiana

And the Board adjourned & met tomorrow morning at 9 O'clock

John Brandon
Jas M. Brumbach
Amzi Seely

Board met pursuant to adjournment. present same as yesterday

It is ordered by the Board of commissioners of DeKalb county that Ephraim Berry and D. W. Sprott be and are hereby appointed authorized and empowered. to procure plans and specifications and estimates for a new Court house to be built in said County under the direction of said Board. said house to be built of Brick with Stone foundation to contain offices for the Auditor Treasurer an Recorder Clerk of court and Sheriff three Jury Rooms and a court Room. Sheriffs building to be fire proof and not to exceed in cost Seventy five Thousand dollars. and that said plans specifications and estimates be filed in the office of the Auditor of said county on or before the Seventieth 20th day of April A.D. 1863

934 Allowed Samuel Weaver Nine dollars and fifty one cts for wood furnished DeKalb county

935 Allowed Frederick Coulter Nine dollars and fifty one cts for wood, furnished DeKalb county Indiana

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936 Allowed William Shell Seventy dollars and fifty cts for stationery furnished DeKalb county Indiana

Allowed Lewis Kuhlman Two hundred and Thirty Eight dollars and Thirteen cts for services as Auditor of DeKalb county

937 Allowed Lewis Kuhlman Forty five cts for freight paid on stationery

Allowed Lana Boone Six dollars and for Steam Rent of Jail one week

Ordered that John Brandon be allowed Fifteen dollars for services as commissioner of DeKalb county

885 Allowed Jesse M. Brumbach Eighteen dollars for services as Commissioner of DeKalb county Indiana

886 Allowed Amzi Seely Nine dollars for services as commissioner of said county

Ordered that Dr. Geo Kessler be and is hereby appointed County Physician for the ensuing year commencing March 6 1863.

938 Ordered that J. N. Mellen be allowed Ten dollars for services as Sheriff attending the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county

939 Allowed John Brandon Two dollars for taking Inventory of goods and chattels at DeKalb county Asylum

and Board adjourned

John Brandon
G. M. Brumbach
Amzi Seely

Special Session April 21 1863

The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb met pursuant to notice given by the Auditor of said county for the purpose of selecting plans and specifications for the Building of a Court House in said County (which notice and the Sheriffs return thereon are on file and are in these words and figures (here in) especially as to John Brandon who was personally notified by said Auditor and said services accepted by him) and thereupon the said Board after an examination of the report of the plan and specification made by Samuel N. Sprott and Ephraim Berry a Committee heretofore appointed for that purpose do adopt the same, and direct the Auditor of said County to advertise for Sealed proposals for building a court house according to said plans and specifications and finishing the same up to the 4 day of June A.D. 1863 in the "New Era" "Waluloo Press" Fort Wayne Sentinel, Dawsons Times & Union, Noble County Register and Goshen Democrat. said advertisement shall be published at least Thirty days

858 Ordered that S N. Sprott be allowed Twelve dollars and Thirty cts for procuring plans and specification for a new Court house $7.50 cts being Cash advanced

859 Ordered that Ephraim Berry be allowed Twelve dollars and Thirty cents for services in procuring plans and specification for the Building of a new Court house in said DeKalb county $7.50 being cash advanced

1039 Ordered that John N. Miller be allowed Four dollars and Eighty cts for services as Sheriff in notifying County Board of Commissioners &c.

1037 Ordered that John Brandon Jesse M. Bumbaugh and Amzi
1040 Seely be each allowed $3.00 for services as Commissioners
1041 of said county at April special session

Ordered that the Board adjourn to session in course

John Brandon
J. M. Bumbaugh
Amzi Seely

Deed
Auditor DeKalb Co
to
Dimon Nichols

Whereas Dimon Nichols has paid forty dollars the same being the payment in full for the North East quarter of the North East quarter of section Ten (10) in Township Thirty three (33) North of Range fifteen (15) East containing Forty Acres more or less situated in DeKalb county and State of Indiana

Now Know ye. that for and in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the statutes in such cases made and provided.

I George Kuhlman Auditor in and for said county of DeKalb and State of Indiana. for and in the name of the inhabitants of Congressional Township No Thirty three North of Range fifteen East, do give and grant unto the said Dimon Nichols his heirs and assigns for ever the said North East quarter of the North East quarter of section 10. Township 33. N. Range 15 East.

In witness Whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name as Auditor of said county of DeKalb and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said county

This 24. day of April A. D, 1863

Geo Kuhlman
Auditor of DeKalb Co.

State of Indiana }
DeKalb county } ss Personally appeared before me Clerk of the DeKalb county circuit Court George Kuhlman Auditor for said county and acknowledged the Execution of the foregoing deed

Witness my hand and the Seal of of said Court at my office in Auburn in said county this 24 day of April A 1863

Jno Ralston

June Session 1863

Auburn June 1st 1863

The Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county Indiana met in pursuance of law present John Brandon Jesse M. Brumback and Amzi Eesley Commissioners and D. H. Mehring Deputy Sheriff and Geo. Lehneman Clerk

Joseph Beck came now and presents his petition to the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county Indiana asking for License to sell spirituous Vinous and malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart. on his premises situate on on Lot No 5. in Danforth's addition in the Town of Butler Wilmington Township Dekalb county Indiana. There being no remonstrance and legal notice being given the Board of Commissioners

Ordered that License be granted to Joseph Beck to sell spirituous Vinous and malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart on his premises situate on Lot No 5. in Danforth's Addition to the Town of Butler Wilmington Township Dekalb county Indiana

John L Duel comes now and presents his petition to the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county Indiana. Asking for License to sell spirituous Vinous and malt Liquor in less quantities than a quart. on Lot No Fourteen in Fossis Addition to the Town of Butler There being no remonstrance presented, and Notice having been given according to Law the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county, Indiana

Ordered that License be granted to John L. Duel to sell spirituous Vinous and malt liquors in less quantities than a quart on his premises on lot No 14. in Fossis Addition to the Town of Butler Wilmington Township Dekalb county Indiana

Ordered by the Board that a Tax be levied in Troy Township Dekalb county Indiana of 6 cts on each $100. valuation for Township purposes

The Board adjourned John Brandon Jesse M. Brumback Amzi Eesley

The Board of Equalization met pursuant to Law present John Brandon Jesse M. Brumback and Amzi Eesley Commissioners and John Burke Jonathan Squires, Michael Silbing, Asa Laurence, James Cotter Elihu Dekle, Thomas D Hoge, John Kimmell Geo. H. Duncan, Silpheus Beard, Daniel Kennedy and George Lehneman Clerk

The Board of Equalization adjourned to Tuesday morning Nine O clock M.

Tuesday Morning June 1st 1863.

The Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment present same as yesterday all matters being disposed of relative to the Board of Equalization The Board adjourned

Signed Above

2 days.

June Session June 2. 1863

John Blanden
Jos. B. Burnsbach
Amy Seely
Jefferson D. Bennet
John Cauley

J. D. Bishop — James Cather.
Jonathan Squires — Alva Lawrence
D. D. Kinsely — Michael Silberg
Elihu Oakes — John Runcie

Tuesday morning June 2. 1863.

Board met pursuant to adjournment present same as yesterday

The several Township Assessors now present their Account for assessing Revenue which the Board allowed as follows Michael Silberg Forty Eight dollars. Daniel D. Kinsely $ 24. Alva Lawrence $ 21,00 Jefferson Board $ 30,00. Elihu Oakes $ 50,00 John Reinachl $ 55.12 J. D. Bishop $ 54,00 Jonathan Squires $ 40,00 James Cather $ 24.00 John Runcie $ 39,00 A. H. Duncan. $ 40,50

Comes John Buchanan Daniel Reinachl Willard Childs the Viewers heretofore appointed to view the following described Road and Report as follows to Wit. We the undersigned Road viewers appointed by the Board of Commissioners at their March session 1863 have met in accordance with the order on this first day of May 1863 and view the proposed highway to Wit, Commencing at the South East corner of section 16. thence on the line between John G. Mantz and William Hostetter and John Beehler to intersect the old Road about one hundred Rods from the place of beginning. We are in favor of the alteration and vacation of said Road and lay out the same to the width of 40 feet.

Upon due consideration the Board Ordered the change and vacation of said proposed highway and to locate the same as Road described by the viewers of Petitions and to locate the same to the width of 40. feet.

1099 Ordered that John Buchanan. Daniel Buchanan Reinachl
1100 and Willard Childs be each allowed one dollars for services as
1101 as Road viewers

A Petition for the location of a Road is now presented to the Board which is in words and figures as follows to Wit.

The undersigned your petitioners would most respectfully represent to the Hon. Board of Commissioners of Preble county Ohio at the June session of said Board that it be of public utility to have a public highway in Whitefield Township Preble county Ohio viewed & laid out the following description. To Wit. Commencing at the quarter

part on the west side of Section Twenty in Township Thirty four North of Range 13 East thence East on the quarter Section line passing through and owned by Lewis Foster John Zimmerman Thomas Lockwood William Sherman Morgan Hinman George Yaney Henry Hood & R. Shoemaker and lands owned the heirs of John Hood deceased intersecting a State and County Road extending on the East line of Section Twenty one in said Township. your Petitioners most Respectfully ask your honorable Board to grant an Praying and appoint viewers to view said proposed Road and take the report thereof may be Recommended with favor for public utility and private convenience required that said Road should be carried out. Signed Morgan Hinman John Zimmerman John Hood and others.

The Board upon due deliberation grant the prayers of the petitioners and appoint Christian Sheets Joseph Walters and John B. Dawes as viewers of the above described Road.

1102 Ordered that John Zimmerman be allowed Eighteen dollars and Sixty cts for plain Furnished Volunteers families

1103 Ordered that Simon Oehe be allowed Fifty two dollars and forty five cents

1104 Ordered that R. H. Woodward be allowed Forty six dollars for professional services to Volunteer families

A Petition is now presented to the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County Indiana which is in words and figures as follows to wit.

To the honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Ind. We the undersigned petitioners would most Respectfully pray your honorable Body to grant us a Road commencing at the South West corner of Section 29. running East until it strikes or nearly strikes Fish Creek thence bearing South about 5 Rods to where the Bridge formerly crossed Fish Creek from thence on the East Bank of Fish Creek back on to the Section line on the North side of Section 29. until it strikes the quarter post on the North side of said Section 29. running through lands owned by A S Casebeer the heirs of Daniel Casebeer and the heirs of Hezekiah Casebeer Grant Township DeKalb county Indiana April 14 1864. We also ask to have vacated the Road near A. S. Casebeers Mill Comm. that part being between the saw mill Bridge and a Butternut tree near A. S. Casebeers Barn in Section Twenty nine in Grant Township signed. John Rench Isaac Fleming Peasant Shoemaker Benjamin Wise Joseph D. Bell and others. Which said upon due consideration granted the prayers of the petitioners and appointed Wm. W. Mc Cornell George Eggnew and John Fleming viewers to view the following foregoing described Road.

2 day June Session June 2 1868

1105 Ordered that Alonzo Lockwood be allowed $15.60 for provisions furnished DeKalb county poor Asylum

1106 Allowed Robert Lovett Eleven dollars and seventy cents provisions furnished DeKalb Asylum

1107 Ordered that Joseph Kelley be allowed Nine dollars and fifty nine cts for doing blacksmithing for DeKalb county Asylum as certified to by Superintendent of Poor farm

1108 Ordered that Adams Lovett be allowed fifty one dollars and nine cents for [illegible] Asylum provisions and other articles furnished poor farm

1109 Ordered that Silvis White be allowed Twenty nine dollars and nine cents for work done on poor farm

John Brandon
J. M. Brumbeck
Aneri Selby

Board Adjourned until to morrow morning

Wednesday morning June 3 1868

Board met pursuant to adjournment present same as yesterday

James Devine comes now and presents his petition to the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County Indiana asking to sell spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in less quantities than one quart on Lot No. 1 Bridge street in the Village of Corunna DeKalb County Indiana

There being no remonstrance presented, and notice having been given according to law. the Board Ordered that license be granted to James Devine to sell spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in less quantities than one quart on his premises as above described

Comes now Jeremiah Plum Jacob Mc Enterfer & Jeremiah Hemstreet the viewers heretofore appointed to view the following described road to wit. We the viewers appointed to view said road did on the 1st day of May A. D. 1868 proceed to (after being duly sworn) review said road as follows to wit. Commencing at the quarter post on the south line of section nineteen in Richland township in said County - thence running north on the quarter section line through sections nineteen and eighteen and section seven to the quarter post on the north line of section seven as described in the order. We Jeremiah Plum Jacob Mc Enterfer and Jeremiah Hemstreet did review and mark out said road. and we the viewers report said road favorable & public utility and lay out the same to the width of forty feet

1110 Ordered that Jeremiah Plum and Jacob Mc Enterfer be each allowed two
1111 dollars and Jeremiah Hemstreet be allowed three dollars for services as
1112 viewers on said road -

1113 Ordered that Philip Grube be allowed eight dollars and twenty five cents for potatoes for poor farm

1114 Ordered that Abraham Rodkiffer be allowed eighty three cents for provisions for poor farm

1115 Ordered that John Grube be allowed one dollar and four cents for provision for poor farm

1116 Ordered that John Brandon be allowed five dollars and ~~for~~ a prepaid order for cash advanced for the purchase of a cow for poor farm

1117 Ordered that J. L. Hayden be allowed three dollars for services as physician in the case of Amanda Hosler a pauper in Richland township

1118 Ordered that C. S. Hare be allowed sixteen dollars and sixteen cents for material furnished for Volunteer families

1119 Ordered that John Cole be allowed thirty dollars for taking care of Mary Cole wife of Smith Cole from March 18th to June 2d 1863

1120 Ordered that John Childs be allowed nineteen dollars and forty five cents for material furnished for volunteer family

1121 Ordered that A. Tomplins be allowed seventeen dollars and fifty cents for material furnished for volunteer family

1122 Ordered that H. H. Knott be allowed six dollars & thirty five cents for material furnished for poor farm

1123 Ordered that J. W. Borom be allowed eleven dollars and fifty cents for a plow for the poor farm

1092 Ordered that John Johnston be allowed Eight dollars for repairing chain Coffin for County paupers

1124 Ordered that John Thomas be allowed twenty dollars for keeping Henry Thomas the last quarter ending June 1st 1863

1125 Ordered that C. S. Hare be allowed three dollars for shoes for inmates of poor farm.

1126 Ordered that Louisa Spring be allowed eight dollars in part payment for cow for poor farm.

1127 Ordered that B. A. Chappelle be allowed Eighty six dollars and sixty two cents for material furnished for Volunteer families.

1128 Ordered that J. W. Case be allowed one dollar and eighty cents for material furnished for poor farm.

1129 Ordered that J. W. Case be allowed one dollar twenty three cents for stationery for County office.

Come now John Wood and presents his petition to the Board of Commissioners of LaPorte County Indiana asking to sell Spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in less quantities than one quart on Sec No. 10 in the Village of Waterloo City LaPorte County Indiana.

Then being no remonstrance presented and notice having been given according to law the Board Ordered that license be granted to John Wood to sell spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in less quantities than one quart on his premises as above described

1130 Ordered that J. M. Ring be allowed Seventy four dollars and fourteen cents for material furnished for Volunteer families

1131 Ordered that David Krull be allowed twenty two dollars and ninety one cents for material furnished for Volunteer family.

1132 Ordered that Jas. N. Chamberlain be allowed the sum of two dollars and thirteen cents for medicine furnished for county pauper.

Comes now Calvin Bigne before the Commissioners of Dekalb County Indiana and presents the following petition to wit.

"To the Hon. Board of Commissioners of Dekalb County Indiana the undersigned respectfully petition your Honorable body to vacate lots numbered eighty one and one hundred in the plat of the town of Waterloo in said County as laid out and recorded by John B. Brethingham and John Hornberger as well as all of Rail Road Street which is east of Washington Street in said plat of said town.

The Board of Commissioners after due deliberation, being satisfied that legal notice had been given do hereby grant the prayer of said petition and vacate said lots and street as asked for in the above petition.

1133 Ordered that S. W. Ralston be allowed Seventy nine dollars and thirty eight for goods furnished for Volunteer families

1134 Ordered that Jacob Kahn be allowed Thirty three dollars and eighty nine cents for material furnished for the poor farm and Volunteer families

1135 Ordered that Amanda Lahman be allowed Eight dollars and sixty nine for labor performed at the poor farm.

1136 Ordered that Mary Lanham be allowed Ten dollars and seven cents for labor performed at the poor farm.

1137 Ordered that Adam Knott be allowed Sixty eight dollars and seventy five cents for superintending poor farm for quarter ending June 1st 1863

1138 Ordered that Freeman Kelly be allowed Six dollars for provision furnished for Volunteer family

1139 Ordered that J. R. Canning be allowed five dollars for provisions for Volunteer family

1140 Ordered that S. W. Ralston be allowed twenty four dollars & fifty three cents for goods furnished poor farm

1141 Ordered that Stiefel & Wolf be allowed Ninety three dollars and sixty one cents for goods furnished for the poor farm.

1142 Ordered that J. N. Miller be allowed thirty dollars for summoning jurors.

1143 Ordered that J. N. Miller be allowed ten dollars for notifying Township Trustees for the Spring elections

1144 Ordered that J. N. Miller be allowed twenty five dollars for services as Sheriff

1145 Ordered that J. N. Miller be allowed two dollars and ten cents for material furnished for poor farm.

Board adjourned until to morrow morning John Brandon

J. M. Brumback

Lewis Seely

June Session June 4th 1863

Board met pursuant to adjournment present Board as yesterday
Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county that Hinkle
Keller be and is now and hereafter exempt from poll Tax and and Road
Work
Ordered by the Board that Jacob B. Hoover be and is hereby appointed
Inspector of Elections Pattison precinct for the term of one year from
the June Term 1863 of the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County

1146 Ordered that W.M. Spriggle be allowed five dollars for glass and other
necessaries furnished Mrs Weimer
1147 Ordered that Lucien L. Davis be allowed $16.34 as furnished DeKalb county
Asylum Supplies as entitled to by Superintendent of same.
1148 Ordered that Adams Kenaston be allowed one dollar and Eighty cents for
Pickles furnished DeKalb county Asylum
James M. Watts chairman Jacob S. Faulkner and Daniel Seitz the persons
therefore appointed to view the following described Road to assess
damage. report as follows to wit.

May 29. 1863.

We the viewers appointed to view said Road and assess damages did on
the 16th day of May 1863 proceed to view and assess damages do assess
damages on said Road as follows to wit to the Property and premises of
Willard Dewit the sum of Twenty five dollars on the Road location through
his premise as described in the order" which road is described as
follows to wit commencing at the North West corner of Section
Twenty Six in Richland Township and thence South on the Section line
until it strikes the Road running East and West past Orrin C. Clarke
and Lewis Lehman in Butler Township and thence to end.
The Board upon due consideration ordered that the foregoing described
Road be and the same is hereby established and opened upon the payment by the County
the damages assessed by the above named viewers
1149 Ordered that James M. Watts chairman Jacob S. Faulkner and Daniel Seitz
1150 be allowed one dollar each for services as Road viewers
1151

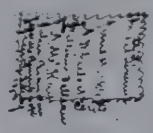
4 day. June Session June 1st 1868.

The Board now proceeds in pursuance of an order heretofore made to open the sealed proposals for the building of a new Court House, and after examining the sealed proposals it is ordered that the proposal of A Wheelock William Valleau and John A McKay be and the same is hereby accepted. They having proposed to put up said building for the least sum. It is therefore ordered that the erection of said building be awarded to the said Wheelock Valleau and McKay. and thereupon the following contract was entered into between the said Wheelock Valleau and McKay and the Board of Commissioners of said county which is in words and figures as follows to wit.

This agreement made this 4 day of June A.D, 1868 by A. Wheelock William Valleau and John A McKay of the first part and the Board of Commissioners of the County of DeKalb of the second part. Witnesseth That the said parties of the first part. agree to furnish all the materials and build and completely finish a Court House for said County. said Court House to be built in the public square in Auburn in said county on the ground now occupied by the old Court House, the stone work of said building the height of five feet from the foundation is to be built by the first of November next and the entire building is to be in all things completed and finished by the first of December 1868. said Court House in all respects is to be built according to a plan marked "A" and specifications marked B. now on file in the Auditors office of said county which plan and specifications are made a part of this Contract. said Court House is to be built of good materials and finished throughout in a good workmanlike manner. The said party of the second part. agrees to to pay the said parties of the first part. for all said materials, labor and completion of said Court House the sum of Twenty three Thousand three hundred and seventy two dollars to be paid in monthly installments of not more than eighty five per cent. on the amount of work that may be done at the expiration of each month. said estimates to be made by the Board of County Commissioners of said County and the balance of said Twenty three Thousand three hundred and seventy two dollars is to be paid when said Court House is in all things completed one half of said payments is to be made in money and the other half is to be paid in County orders of said County. If alterations or additions are made in or to said work it is not to

increase the Contract price unless the price of said alterations or additions is by three parties agreed on and reduced to writing and said Board of Commissioners reserve the right to make or withhold any advance [illegible] before the same become due

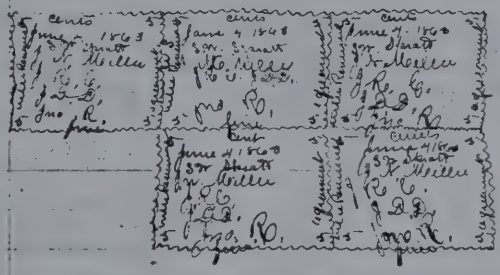
Signed by us this 4. day of June 1863.



A. Wheelock
Wm Velleau
A McKay

John Brandon
M. Brumback
Amzi Seely
Board of Commissioners of DeKalb Co. Indiana

We Samuel W. Spratt Joseph D. Davis James R Casper Jno Ralston & John W. Meller hereby bind ourselves in the sum of ten Thousand dollars for the performance on the part of A. Wheelock & Wm Velleau and A. McKay of their part of the above Contract witness our hands and seals this 4. day of June A.D, 1863



Saml. W Spratt
Jos D Davis
M Casper
John W Meller
Jno. Ralston

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county that Samuel W. Spratt and John Brandon be and are hereby appointed Superintendents of the Construction of the new Court House

Publicly read and signed in open Court June 4. 1863.

The Board adjourned until to morrow morning

John Brandon
Jeff. Brumback
Amzi Seely

The Board met pursuant to adjournment present same as yesterday

1152 Ordered that Geo. Wolf and Jeremiah Demitrick be each allowed one dollar
1153 and Wm. McClure Two dollars for services as Road viewers.
1154 Ordered that J.B. Loveland be allowed be allowed Two dollars for publishing
1155 notice of location of County Bridges
1156 Allowed J.B. Loveland Three dollars and for publishing notice of Building of a new Court House

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1157 Ordered that John M. Dawson be allowed five dollars for publishing Notice of the Building of a new bound. House Dekalb county Indiana

1158 Ordered that David Vinton be allowed Eleven dollars and Thirty Eight cents for Taking care of Nathan Timmis while sick

1159 Ordered that Mrs. M. L. Dawson be allowed Eleven dollars for cash paid on Smiths order to Volunteers Women.

1160 Allowed Lewis Barnes 90 cents for coal oil furnished County offices

1161 Ordered that Childs and Hoskins be allowed Thirty three dollars for paying sums of Justices of Richland Township to Vol. families

1162 Ordered that George Raw be allowed be allowed four dollars for goods furnished Mrs Hall as per order from Levi Brown Trustee

1163 Ordered that S. Y. Dewhirst be allowed seven dollars and fifty cents for 2 Copies of Notices Lots Sold and Publishing notice to Builders.
Ordered that Twenty five cents on each one hundred dollars valuation and fifty cents on each poll shall be levied as a Special School Tax in the Incorporated Town of Auburn for year 1863

1164 Ordered that O. G. Houghton be allowed four dollars for flour furnished Fanny Nicholson

Came now Isaac Kintzner John Davis and J. J. Hoffman the persons herein fore appointed to view the following described Road Report as follows to wit.

May. 22. 1863

We the viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 22. day of May 1863 proceed to View and vacate said Road as follows to wit, Commencing at a point on the Section line in Jackson Township between Section five and Six, Forty Rods West of the South East corner of the South West quarter of Section five and running thence thence thence in a North Easterly direction until it intersects the Road Running to Auburn Indiana directly North through the center of said Section five. said proposed vacation being through lands owned by Jacob Bogart. We Isaac Kintzner J. J. Hoffman and John Davis did view and vacate said Road as described in the order. We consider it best of Public utility signed Isaac Kintzner
John Davis

upon due deliberation the Board ordered the above named order described Road be and is hereby vacated

1165 Ordered that Isaac Kintzner John Davis and J. J. Hoffman
1166 be each allowed one dollar for services as Road viewers
1167

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June 1st 1863

Came now George Brick Jeremiah Plum and Abraham McEntarfer the persons here to fore appointed Road Viewers and Report as follows to Wit. We George Brick Jeremiah Plum and Abraham McEntarfer viewers appointed at the March session of the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana would to your honorable Body respectively report that upon actual view of premises on the 2nd day of May A.D. 1863 Herein described. do lay out and locate a Public Highway and recommend the same to be done by your Hon. Board. Commencing on the North side of the Michigan Southern and Northern Indiana Rail Road where the East line of section Four 4. Township Thirty four Range Thirteen (13) East crosses said Road and running from thence directly West and parallel with said Rail Road to the West line of said Section. said Highway to be forty feet (40) feet in width We report the same to be of Public utility and recommend its location. all of which is which is respectfully submitted May 2. A.D. 1863. Signed George Brick
Jeremiah Plum
A McEntarfer

The Board Grant the prayers of the Petitioners and upon examination of the viewers report the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County

1171 Ordered that the above described Road be laid out and opened

1171 Ordered that George Brick Jeremiah Plum and Abraham McEntarfer

1172 be each allowed one dollar for services as Road viewers.

1173 Ordered that Levi Braun be allowed $ 17.00 dollars for clothing &c. furnished Samuel Davidson a pauper

1174 Ordered that Levi Braun be allowed $ 3.00 for slaughtering lot of Mrs Conner a paupers wife

1175 Ordered that Joseph D. Davis be allowed 70 cts for candles tricks and one Lamp Chimney furnish DeKalb county.

1176 Ordered that George Bragg now be allowed one dollar for services furnish Dr Culbertson

1177 Ordered that Levi Graham be allowed one dollar and twelve cents for sawing woods for sawing Roads for Mrs Summers

1178 Ordered that Mr. Barnes be allowed $ 132.47. services as Treasurer of DeKalb Indiana

1179 Allowed Alvin Sanderson Thirty five dollars and fifty cents for flour furnished Destitute families

1180 Allowed John N McAllister five dollars fifty cts for carrying Road viewers

1181 Allowed John N McAllister Five dollars and forty cts for attending on Monitor Grater in the county Jail and exchanging the same.

1182 Allowed John Robertson two dollars and twenty five cents for services furnished Clerks office

1183 Allowed John Ratcliff Twenty five dollars and for Extra services as Clerk of DeKalb county Indiana

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1185 Ordered by the Board that Dr. Howell be allowed Twenty one dollars for
1184 Medical attendance on Volunteers families
Allowed Dr. Emanuel Twenty one dollars for Medical attendance on
Volunteers families

John Brandon
J. M. Brumback
Amzi Seely

The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana met.
Saturday Morning pursuant to adjournment. present same as yesterday.
The Board of Commissioners then proceeded to the DeKalb county Asylum
for the purpose of inspecting the premises which upon due examination
they report in better condition than the year previous

1187 Ordered Single and Spring be allowed fourteen dollars for one
& quire Commissioners' Record
1188 Ordered that Lewis Bauer be allowed fifty six cents for stone ware
furnished DeKalb county Indiana poor house
1189 Ordered that Edward Wright be allowed forty one dollars and fifty cents etc. for services as herein specified for making June 1st 1863.
The Board adjourned to Monday Morning June 8. 1863.

John Brandon
J. M. Brumback
Amzi Seely

6th day The Board met pursuant to adjournment present John Brandon
Jesse M. Brumback and Amzi Seely Commissioners and John H.
Miller Sheriff and Isaac Lichtenauer Ex Officio Clerk of the Board.

1190 Ordered that James B. Morrison be allowed allowed Twenty five dollars
for services rendered as attorney and as a retaining fee.
1191 Ordered that William H. Biles be allowed Twenty five dollars for services
rendered and as a retaining fee as attorney
1168 Ordered that John Morris and Andrew Ellison be each allowed
1169 Fifty dollars for services as Attorneys and as a Retaining fee.
and that William H. Biles be authorized draw the orders and
forward them

1191 Ordered that Timothy Adams be allowed fifty five dollars for
assessing damage in Richland Township in part.
1192 Allowed Levy Plum five dollars for arranging Assessor's Book
of Richland Township in part.
Ordered that William A Laning A. Wheelock and William Pelham
as a committee be allowed Fifty one dollars and Ninety six cts
for drawing plans and specifications for the building of a new
Court House in Auburn DeKalb county Indiana

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1193 Ordered that Lance Bange be allowed Sixty dollars for House Rent by House furnished Mrs Heaward, a faldins Wife

1194 allowed A Lance Two dollars and five cts for Building Fire to DeKalle county Jail

1195 Ordered that Whitham Dent be allowed Eighteen dollars for one Cow furnished DeKalle County Asylum.

It is hereby ordered by the Board of Commissioners of DeKalle County that a Tax be laid on each one hundred dollars Valuation of Assessable property as follows for Court House Tax 10 cts and 15 cts for sustaining Soldiers families County Tax 40 cts

John Blondon
J.M. Burnbach
Amzi Seely

Tuesday Morning June 9. 1863.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment present same as yesterday The Treasurer of DeKalle county came now and presents his Reports which is in words and figures as follows

Treasurers Office Auburn DeKalle Co.
June 1. 1863.

To the Hon. Board of Commissioners of DeKalle county Indiana pursuant to law I herewith submit my annual Report of the condition of the Congressional and Common School fund of said County for the year Ending June 1st 1863.

Collected of Congressional Int. to date of distribution	1142 36
Paid to Townships as follows	
To Butler Township	44 02
" Jackson "	58 04
" Concord "	121 82
" Keimille "	65 86
" Stafford "	39 14
" Wilmington "	68 87
" Union "	59 76
" Richland "	108 35
" Smithfield "	141 80
Fairfield "	112 70
" Franklin "	84 70
" Troy "	41 97
Interest Refunded "	5 95
Total Amount in Treasury distributed	916 32
Same in Treasury at date of "	196 14
Collected since distribution	77 76
Total Amount in Treasury at this date	273 82

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Common School sinking fund and Liquor License and Int.

Amount in Treasury at last settlement of sinking fund Interest	20	00
Common School Interest	15	12
Collected up to October dividend of sinking fund	25	00
" " " " " " Common "	48	25
" " " " " " Liquor License	200	00
" " " April " " sinking fund	553	94
" " " " " " Common "	128	48
" " " " " " Liquor License	300	00
" June " " " sinking fund	76	96
" " " " " " Common "	47	83
" " " " " " Liquor License	50	00
Total Amount collected	1464	61

Amount paid into Treasury of State		
Oct 1862 Common and sinking fund Interest	111	40
Liquor License	200	00
April 1863 " Liquor	300	00
" " Common and Conquissional Int	634	18
Interest Refunded	41	44
Total amount paid out	1287	02
Balance in Treasury June 1. 1863.	182	59

Common and Sang. principal		
Amount in Treasury at June settlement 1862	118	14
Collected during the year	3321	33
Total Amount of Revenue	3439	47
Balance in Treasury June 1st 1863.	1651	96

Common School Revenue for distribution

Amount Received of Treasurer of State June 1862	6220	50
" " " " " " Nov. "	1470	30
" " " " " " April 1863	6427	57
Total amount Received	14118	37
Amount paid Township Treasurer	10311	63
Amount in Treasury	3806	74

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Treasurers Report of the Receipts and Expenditures of DeKalb County for the year ending May 31. 1863.

There was Remaining in the Treasury at the close of the last fiscal year the sum of	4613	79
Received on account of County Revenue	14660	70
" " " " Township "	1231	06
" " " " Road "	6115	46
" " " " special School	5787	72
" " " " Municipal of Auburn	90	93
" " " " Summons fees	35	17
" " " " Redemption of Land	465	92
" " " " Agricultural fund	13	00
Total receipts during year	33113	75

Expenditures

Orders Redeemed on account of County fund	18827	70
" " " " " Township "	1089	68
" " " " " Road "	6115	26
" " " " " special School "	4921	75
" " " " " Municipal "	190	93
" " " " " Summons fees	10	80
" " " " " Redemption of Land	437	60
" " " " " Agriculture	13	00
Total Expenditures	31606	22

Auditors office Auburn Ind. June 1. 1863

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana. In pursuance of law I herewith submit my annual Report of the Receipts and Expenditures of DeKalb county for the year ending June 1st 1863.

There was Remaining in Treasury June 1st 1862	4114	13
Collected Taxes of County Revenue	9964	92
" " " Road "	6115	46
" " " special School "	5787	72
" " Township "	1231	06
" " Municipal "	190	43
" " " Summons fees "	85	14
" " " Agricultural "	13	00
Means Loaned the county "	4695	78
Total	32630	34

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Orders Issued of County funds	19	55-6 65
" " " Redemption of Land	4	37 60
" " " Municipal Tax	1	90 4½
" " " Road Remune	61	37 62
" " " Lacouslip "	12	30 70
" " " Surveyors fees		10 30
" " " Agricultural fund		18 00
" " " Special School Tax	58	17 17
" " " Total amount of orders issued	83	393 47
Recapitulation		
Total amount of available funds	26	30 07
Amount of orders redeemed during financial year ending June 1. 1863	1	606 22
Loans in Treasury June 1st. 1863.		1024 32
Amount of County orders unit standing		1787 25
Loans the county in debt		762 93
Orders Issued for County funds		
Orders issued for Assessing Remune		416 25
" " " Bounty to Vol.		72 25
" " " Expense of Poor		967 07
" " " Aid to Vol families		908 35
" " " County officers Salary		2053 61
" " " Expense of Bridges		613 12
" " " " " Roads		72 40
" " " Specific Allowances		150 93
" " " Expense of Courts		573 91
" " " " " Criminals		75 66
" " " " " Inquest		113 80
" " " " " Printing		252 05
" " " Illegal Tax Refunded		158 02
" " " Money loaned the county		4695 78
" " " Expense of District		14 27
" " " Stationary		148 61
" " " Jurors fees		201 79
" " " Expense of Elections		22 70
" " " Prosecutors Salary		66 70
" " " Expense of Public Buildings		61 55
" " " " " County Asylum		6 15 66
" " " Judges Salary	19	556 65

Final Statement June 1. 1863

Special School Tax		
Amount of Special Rate for financial year ending June 1st. 1863	5 8 17	17
Balance in Treasury in June 1st. 1862	4	70
Whole Amount collected during year	5 7 87	72
Over drawn June 1st. 1863.	24	75
Redemption of Land fund.		
Amount Collected during year	7 65	96
Balance in Treasury June 1st. 1862	16	94
Total amount in Treasury	482	90
Orders issued during year ending June 1st 1863	437	60
Loans Balance in Treasury June 1st 1863	45	30
Money Loaned the County		
Amount paid County Orders	4695	78
Orders issued to " "	4695	78
Municipal Tax		
Collected during year	190	43
Orders Issued	190	43
Road Revenue		
Over drawn June 1st. 1862	22	16
Amount of orders Issued	6115	46
Total	6137	62
Collected during year ending June 1st. 1863	6115	46
Over drawn June 1st 1863	22	16
Township Revenue		
Balance in Treasury June 1st 1862	10	24
Collected during financial year	1231	06
Total	1241	30
Orders Issued	1230	70
Balance June 1st 1863	10	60
Amount of Summons fee collected	3	14
" " " Orders Issued for	10	30
Balance in Treasury June 1st. 1863.	24	84
Agricultural fund Collected	13	00
" " Orders Issued	13	00

Respectfully submitted. W. Fuhrman Aud.

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The Auditor of State herewith his Report of the Receipts and Expenditures of Common and Congressional School and Principal as follows to wit Auditors office Auburn June 1st. 1863
To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana The Auditor of said County most respectfully Submits The following Report of the appropriations of the School fund of DeKalle county. for the year ending June 1st. 1863

Received of Common School fund during Fiscal year ending June 1st 1863	143	63 41
Order Issued To the Several Townships	141	17 37
Balance in Treasury for appportionment June 1st. 1863	2	46 04

Cong. Fund.

Amount of Congressional School fund Received during fiscal year ending June 1st. 1863	12	21 19
Amount appportioned To the Several Townships	11	49 36
Balance in Treasury not appportioned		71 83

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Amount in Treasury June 1st. 1862		19 19
Amount of principal collected on Loans during year ending June 1st. 1863	40	14 08
Total Amount	40	33 22
Amount paid on Loans during year ending June 1st. 1863	23	81 26
Amount in Treasury June 1st. 1863	16	51 96

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1196 Ordered that W. D. Kelp be allowed $ 3,17 for blank furnished for Bridge across Cedar Creek

1197 Allowed William Sheets for plastering furnished DeKalb county as per Bill on file $ 76.75 seventy six dollars and seventy five cts

1198 Allowed W. H. Norton $ 3,50 for publishing notice of the Building of a new Court house in DeKalb County

1199 Ordered that Henry D. Reed Jacob Hericke Samuel Rankin George E. Shein Jacob Shenty Hugh W. Dimm Michael McGettigan Jesse Thurston Francis A Johnson Henry Shenty Nelson Mullennix Rollin C. Ford David D. Robinson Nicholas Bontrager Isaac Hoaglin Martin Mordaff Francis DeKalbie providing each family five dollars which amount shall go to the aid of their families, that have any if not then otherwise

1197 & 1198

A Petition is now presented to the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County which is in words and figures as follows

To the honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county.

your petitioners would represent to your hon. Body that a road is necessary and would be of public benefit if located as follows to wit. Commencing at the County road at the residence of Phillip Mann. on the west half of the South East quarter of Sec. 17 Township Thirty five North — running South Franklin thence South through said Mann's land thence in a Southerly direction through the west half of the South East quarter of Section 20. owned by James W Jeffords thence South through the west half of the South East quarter of Section 20. owned by William Reese to intersect the State Road on the Section line between Section 20 and Township your honors will please act in the premises according to Law. and your petitioners will be under obligations of gratitude &c.

signed by W. Jeffords Phillip Mann. Daniel Wolf James M. Jeffords Simon Mann and others

The Board grant the prayers of the petitioners and appoint Jeremiah Plum Samuel Kelly and Cyrus Bowman

1213 Ordered that L. M. Trumback be allowed Two dollars for one day spent for Surveying Road for Isaac Fann

Ordered that the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county meet in Session on the first Monday in August next and on the first Monday in each month thereafter for the purpose of making estimate and Allowance for the Building of a new Court House in Auburn in said County until the Court House is Completed

8 day

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Ordered by the Board that Twenty dollars be appropriation for Building a Bridge across a creek one half mile south East of Pleasantville under the superintendence of Sol Herrick

Ordered by the Board that an appropriation be made of Twenty dollars to be applied to Building a Bridge in Fairfield Township across the inlet of Cedar Lake under the superintending of Emanuel Reidig

John Brandan
J. M. Brumback
Amzi Seely

Board met pursuant to adjournment present John Brandan Jesse M. Brumback and Amzi Seely Commissioners and George Kuhlman Auditor and Ex officio Clerk & N. Miller Sheriff

Ordered that George Kuhlman be allowed Three hundred and Sixty Eight dollars and seven cts for services as Auditor.

1214 Ordered that Amzi Seely be allowed Twenty seven dollars for services as Commissioner of DeKalb county

1215 Ordered that Jacob Cupp be allowed Three dollars for services as Assessor of Union Township in part.

1216 Ordered that John Brandan be allowed Twenty seven dollars for services as Commissioner of DeKalb county

1217 Ordered that Jesse M. Brumback be allowed Twenty seven dollars for services as Commissioner of DeKalb county

1218 Ordered that John N. Miller be allowed Eighteen dollars for services

1219 as Sheriff at June term of the Board of Commissioners

Ordered that John N. Miller be allowed Two dollars and Eighty cts for services as Sheriff

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

John Blandan
J. M. Brumback
Amzi Seely

Aug. Session Special Aug 3. 863

Monday morning August 3. 1863. The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county met pursuant to notice given personally by the Sheriff of said county and accepted by said Board of Commissioners, present. John Brandon Isaac M. Brumback and Amzi Seely.

The Board of Commissioners met in pursuance of Arrangements made at the June Term 1863. for the purpose of making Estimates on contracts of new Court house. The Board continued in session until Tuesday Aug. 4. 1863.

Ordered that John Brandon Isaac M. Brumback and
1213 Amzi Seely be each allowed Six Dollars for services as Com-
1214 missioners of DeKalb county.
1215 The Board adjourned to the session in course

John Brandon
I M. Brumback
Amzi Seely

Sept Day — September Session — Sept 7th 1863.

The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County Indiana met at the Court House in Auburn September 7th 1863 pursuant to law. President John Brandon Jesse M. Brumback and Enoch Lisly Commissioners. John N. Miller Sheriff of said County and Benjamin Hallman Auditor.

Ordered that John Zimmerman & Co be allowed Thirty nine dollars and five cents for 13 men furnished Volunteers families as per certificate of Trustee of Concord Township.

A petition is now presented to the Board which is in these words and figures to wit:

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County, State of Indiana. We the undersigned citizens of DeKalb Co State of Ind do petition your honorable body to locate a road as follows to wit: Commencing at the centre of the State road running from Auburn to Waterville in said county where it crosses the section line between section Thirty five (35) and Thirty six (36) on the land owned by Hugh Shane and J. R. Cooper thence south on the section line on lands owned by John N. McKay and Enoch Moore to the township line. thence east eighty rods on said town line thence south through lands owned by Philip Cobler and John Cobler to intersect a road running east and west between John Cobler and Mathew Lange for which your petitioners would ever pray. Signed by John N. McKay and others.

Thereupon the Board appoints Isaac Metzner John Davis and Joshua J. Huffman viewers on said proposed highway.

Ordered that Joseph Garver be allowed One & 50/100 dollars for preparing ground for new court House as per bill on file.

Ordered that John Thomas be allowed Twenty Dollars for boarding and clothing furnished pauper as per bill on file.

Ordered that George Barney be allowed Five dollars for cash advanced Mrs Helmick as per order of Trustee of Concord Township on file.

Ordered that William McClellan be allowed Eight & 50/100 dollars for removing wards for poor house as per bill on file.

Ordered that the following sums be allowed for removing Court House as per bills on file. to wit: Joseph D Davis Five & 50/100 Dollars S. J. Colson One & 50/100 Dollars N. Griswold Five & 50/100 " Irving Illing One & 25/100 " S. N. Case 75/100 " John Bollinger Three " and John Ralston Fifteen Dollars for work allowed by County.

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A Petition is now presented to the Board praying the location of public highway in Stafford Township which is in these words and figures towit.

To the honorable board of County Commissioners of Pulaski County Indiana. We your humble petitioners pray your honorable body to locate a public highway in Stafford township Pulaski County Ind. Commencing at the quarter post between Sections Sixteen 16 and seventeen (17) in said Township and running thence east on the Section line between Sections Sixteen (16) and Seventeen (17) twenty (20) and twenty one (21) twenty eight (28) and twenty nine (29) to the quarter post between sections twenty eight (28) and twenty nine (29) thence running to the South West so as to require the removal of but three apple trees in the orchard (belonging to the estate of David Webster deceased) contiguous to said quarter post and running south along the west side of said orchard to the South West corner thereof. and thence in a Southerly direction to the north end of the bridge across the St Joseph River. below Brenwoods Mills and further your petitioners request that the said road hereinbefore prayed for may be thirty feet in width. Signed Henry Hook.

And thereupon the board appoints Andrew Smith W R Chilson and George R Swartz viewers on said proposed highway.

On Motion of T. N. Maxwell attorney for the petitioners of road petition proposing the location of a highway in Troy Township the Board dismisses the same together with all proceedings thereon.

Ordered that George R Maxwell be allowed two Dollars and George Egnew one dollar for services as viewers on the above proposed highway—

Ordered that L. L. Isherwood & Co be allowed Ninety Eight (98) Dollars for goods and provisions furnished Various Volunteers families upon the orders of the Trustees of Stafford, Wilmington and Troy Townships as per bill and orders on file—

Ordered that the Sum of Twenty five Dollars be and is hereby appropriated in the completion of a Bridge across Indian Creek on the line of Butler and ~~Harrison~~ Richland townships, to be drawn and expended under the direction of John Brandon as Superintendent—

Ordered that Alvin Tompkins be allowed Twenty ~~eight~~ five Dollars for flour furnished Volunteers families on orders of Twp Trustees and Commissioners Record—

Ordered that Childs & Hastings be allowed Ninety four Dollars for goods and provisions furnished Volunteers families as per orders of Twp Trustee of Richland on file

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Ordered that Jesse M. Brumbach be allowed Thirty four & 03/100 Dollars for Cash advanced as Trustee orders for flour furnished Volunteers families. as per orders on file —

1341

Ordered that Haas & Davis be allowed Five Dollars for Lumber in repairing Court House as per bill on file —

And the Board adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Publicly read and signed.

John Brandon
J. M. Brumback
Amzi Seely

2nd Day. Sept 8th 1863

The Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present the Hons Brandon Brumback and Seely Commissioners and other officers same as yesterday.

Comes now George H Maxwell and presents a petition for the vacation of a public Square in the Town of Butler which is in these words and figures to wit:

To the Honorable Commissioners of DeKalb County Indiana: We the undersigned citizens of the Village of Butler respectfully request your honorable Body to vacate the Public Square in said Village described as follows to wit. Lying East of Lot No Thirteen (13) and North of Lot No Fourteen (14) in Morris Addition to the Village of Butler said Lots belonging to D R Lanning. The said public Square running thirty one (31) feet East and West and forty seven (47) feet North and South. Said Morris and Lanning the only persons to be affected by said vacation signed, D R Lanning C Morris and others.

The Board being satisfied that due notice of the presentation of said petition. do hereby grant the prayer of said petitioners. And hereby orders said Square to be vacated.

Ordered that Simon Ochs be allowed Thirty seven & 03/100 Dollars for goods and sevices furnished Volunteers families as per order of Trustee of Concord Township and acct on file-

Ordered that William Callum be allowed Thirty seven & 38/100 Dollars for services labor &c in repairing Court House as per bill on file-

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1302 Ordered that J. M. Rex be allowed Thirteen & 83/100 Dollars for goods furnished Guardian of Ariel Walden a insane pauper as per bill on file and certified by said Guardian -

1303 Ordered that J. M. Rex be allowed Seventy Eight & 19/100 Dollars for goods and groceries furnished various Volunteers families as per order of Trustee of Stafford Concord and Sunville Twps on file -

1304 Ordered that William H Rodamer be allowed Fifteen Dollars for groceries furnished Volunteers families as per bill and order of Trustee of Sunville Township on file -

Ordered that the following persons be allowed the several sums opposite their names for cash advanced the Building Committee on New Court House. to wit

1251 To John Ralston the Sum of Five Hundred Dollars
1252 " Samuel Millinan " " Five Hundred and fifty Dollars
1253 " Amanda Kutzner " " Fifty & 67/100 Dollars
1254 " John George " " Two Hundred Dollars
1255 " Elisabeth Dunn " " Two Hundred Dollars,
1256 " Jacob Bear " " One Thousand Dollars
1257 " George Kuhlman " " Three Hundred and fifty Dollars.

Also that said persons be allowed the following sums for interest accrued on said advancement to this date to wit To

1258 John Ralston Seven & 29/100 Dollars
1259 Saml Millinan Seven & 23/100 "
1262 John George Two & 52/100 "
1260 Elisabeth Dunn Two & 52/100 "
1261 Jacob Bear Two & 50/100 " and
1263 George Kuhlman Three & 67/100 "

Ordered that Cornelius Widner be allowed Twelve Dollars for keeping pauper child as per bill on file certified by Township Trustee -

Ordered that S. N. Widney be allowed One & 87/100 Dollars for Stationery furnished Recorders office -

A Petition for the location of a public highway in Concord Township is now presented in these words and figures. We the undersigned freeholders of Concord Township do hereby petition to the County Commissioners of Dekalb County Ind to grant us a road Thirty 30 ft wide running from the East end of Mill Street in Spencerville Eastward to the St Joseph

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river bridge where the road runs at the present time. Septem ber 3rd 1863 Signed by John Zimmerman and others

And thereupon the Board appoint William Keane Barney Saylor and Jacob Dermott viewers of said proposed highway.

The viewers Plum Kelly & Bowman appointed to view a proposed highway in Franklin Township at last Session of this Board now here made report, and on motion of William Keane an objection to said report is set aside and thereupon the Board appoint Jeremiah Kaufman John Jackman and Jesse Duncan as viewers upon said proposed highway and report their doings at this next term of this Board.

Ordered that Jeremiah Plum be allowed two dollars and Jas D Kelly and Cyrus Bowman each one dollar for services as road Viewers.

A petition is now presented to the Board praying the location of a private road in Franklin Township which is in these words to wit

To the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County Ind.

The undersigned citizens of Franklin township would respectfully request that the proper legal steps be taken for the location of a road on the following line to wit beginning at a point about 43 rods South of the North East corner of Sec 19. in T 35 N of R 14 E (Franklin) thence in a northeasterly course on the line of the old land to the State road leading from Hamilton Steuben Co to Waterloo Ajt DeKalb Co By agreement of the parties directly interested to wit Jas Taylor Sr owner of the land through said road will run and Joshua Kelly said road if established. is to be 18 feet wide in the clear. We would therefore ask that said road be so established. Signed M Waterman John Taylor and others.

And thereupon the Board being satisfied that legal notice had been given twenty days previous to the first day of the present session of this Board. do hereby grant the prayer of said petition. And hereby appoint John McCune to survey said proposed highway. Measure and mark out the same. and report his doings to the Auditor, and upon the same being recorded in the auditors office the same shall become a private road.

Ordered that John Cole be allowed Twenty Seven Dollars for taking care of Mary Cole a pauper as per certificate of Trustee of Fairfield Township

Ordered that Hopkins and Nichols be allowed Eighteen & 1/2 Hundred Dollars for goods furnished poor as per certificate of Trustee of Fairfield Township.

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A petition is now presented to the Board praying the location and change of a highway in Marion and Wilmington Townships which is in these words.

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Dekalb County Indiana. Your petitioners represent that it will be of public utility to change the road leading from Auburn to Stroville in said County by commencing at the Township line between Marion and Wilmington on the center line of Section thirty six in Marion township thence west on the center line of said Section and the center line of Section thirty five until it strikes the said road leading from Auburn to Stroville near the center of Section thirty five as Laid owned by John N Brown and Susan Cooper. Said change will pass over land owned by Joseph N and Juliett J Savage Lanslot Ingman Daniel C Savage Henry Shurlock Dames R Cooper Susan D Savage Hugh [illegible] John McMay John N Brown Susan Cooper. Your petitioners pray the Board to appoint viewers to view and lay out such change and locate so much of said road as lies between the Commencement and end of said change (Signed) by Lanslot Ingman and others.

And thereupon the Board being satisfied that due notice had been given of the presentation of said petition hereby appoints Isaac Kutzner Rhu Davis and Joshua J Huffman viewers on said proposed highway

Comes now Christian Shutt P G Danner and Joseph Walter the viewers heretofore appointed to view a proposed highway in Smithfield Township and Make report thereon and on motion of E R Shoemaker the Board sets aside said report. and appoints Dames M. Fortschins Joshua Taylor and Lisby as viewers on said proposed highway and report thereon at the next session of this Board.

1264 Ordered that George Barney be allowed Five Hundred Dollars for cash advanced the Building Committee of the New Court House
1265 Also Seven & 75/100 Dollars interest accrued thereon to date.

Ordered that George Barney be allowed Twenty Six & 33/100 for services as County Treasurer. Also Two & 13/100 Dollars for cash advanced Justices in making report of fines, as per bills on file.

A petition is now presented to the Board praying for incorporation of a ~~Town~~ which is in these words.

To the Hon Board of Commissioners of Dekalb County Indiana.

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We the undersigned legal voters residing within the Territory hereinafter described would Petition Your Hon Body to incorporate said Territory as a Town by the name under the name and Style of Natchez City. Viz Commencing at the corner stone at the South west corner of Section three Township thirty four, North of range thirteen east, thence north 89½ degrees west 89 & 78/100 chains thence North ¼ degree west 78 66/100 chains. thence South 88 degrees west 89 76/100 chains. thence South ¼ degree east 85 chains thence South 86 ¾ degrees west 11 86/100 chains. thence South ½ degree East 89 37/100 chains thence North 87½ degree East 11 81/100 chains to place of beginning containing three hundred & thirty four & 88/100 acres of land. Said Territory contained on the 10th day of August 1863 seven hundred and ninety two inhabitants according the census taken on that day. August 31/63

Signed by C A O McClellan and 101 others -

And the Board upon due consideration being satisfied that all the requirements of law have been fully complied with in reference to the above petition. Order. that such territory shall with the assent of the qualified voters thereof, as herein after provided be an incorporated town by the name specified in the application aforesaid. It is also ordered that there be a meeting of the qualified voters resident in said Territory on Saturday the third day of October 1863 at the City Hotel in said territory, to determine by vote whether or not such Territory shall be an incorporated town. And that the County Auditor cause ten days notice to be given of such meeting by publication in the Natchez City Press, and by posting up ten copies of said notices at the most public places in said proposed incorporated town.

Ordered that B. A. Shaffer Dr be allowed Eighty one & 32/100 Dollars for goods groceries and provisions furnished various Volunteers families as per orders of Commissioners Brumback and Trustee of Richland Township on file -

Ordered that F. G. Dickinson be allowed Seventy six dollars for publishing Financial condition of the County & printing and binding 300 blank Treasurers receipts. as per bill on file and certified to.

And the Board adjourned & met & mann meeting at 9 O. Clock M. Publicly read and Signed.

John Brandon

J. M. Brumback

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2nd Day. September Session — Sept. 9th 1868—

September 9th 1868—

The Board of Commissioner met pursuant to adjournment Present Messrs Brandon Bruntsell and Leahy Commissioners and other offices same as yesterday—

Whereas it has became necessary to complete the New Court House now under construction, and the income afforded by taxation is insufficient to complete the same, It is therefore;

Ordered by the Board; That a Sum not exceeding Five Thousand Dollars, be borrowed for that purpose, at such times and in such Sums as may be necessary to pay the monthly estimates in the Completion of said Court House, and further that for the Sums thus borrowed, the Bonds of this County be issued to the proper party or parties therefor. Said Bonds not be of less than Seventy five Dollars each, in Amount and bearing a rate of interest not exceeding the legal rate in the State or Territory where they may be negotiated. The said interest payable on the first days of June of each year annually at the Treasurers office of this County. And the principal of said Bonds payable five years from the date thereof, with the right of redemption at any time before maturity—

It is further ordered that John Brandon and Samuel D. Spratt, the Building Committee of the New Court House, be and they are hereby appointed and authorized to borrow the money as above proposed, at such times and places, on such terms, and of such persons as they may think proper for the purposes above mentioned. And upon the receipt of the Sums so borrowed as aforesaid by the Treasurer of this County, the said Treasurer and Auditor shall issue and deliver to the proper person or persons the Bonds of the County therefor, in accordance with the contract of the loan of such money, together with the necessary interest warrants attached thereto—

Ordered that persons holding orders of this County for cash advanced the Building Committee of the New Court House may, under the direction of said Committee, receive in lieu thereof the Bonds of this County upon presenting the same to the County Treasurer, Provided they receive said Bonds at no greater discount than Three per cent.

Ordered that J. W. Case be allowed One Hundred Dollars for Stationery furnished County Auditor as per bill on file—

Ordered that Geo Wagoner be allowed Five Dollars for provisions furnished Volunteer family as per bill on file—

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Ordered that A Wolf be allowed One & 25/100 Dollars goods furnished poor farm as per bill on file —

Ordered that Jos Stiefel & Co be allowed Fifty seven & 15/100 Dollars for goods and groceries furnished Volunteers families as per bills and order of Co agent and Township Trustee on file —

Ordered that Laura Borge be allowed Nine Dollars for Lemon sent furnished Volunteers family as per bill on file —

Ordered that Clark & Long be allowed Five Dollars for goods furnished Volunteers family as per bill on file —

A Petition is now presented to the Board praying the location of a highway in Richland Township which is in these words.

To the Hon Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County Indiana

The undersigned citizens of DeKalb County respectfully petition your honorable Board to layout and locate a public highway. Commencing at the center of Bridge Street in Mr. Millers first addition to the Town of Corunna thence running East on what is now known as the East road in the said addition, about one half mile. thence North to the South side of the N. Southern & Northern Indiana RR to intersect the road thence running East. Signed J. L. Hay Sr & others —

And the Board being satisfied that legal notice had been appointed John McCullough Columbus Deaver and David Reinoehl Viewers as said proposed highway.

Ordered that John A Miller be allowed 90 cents for mileage as Jailer as per bill on file —

Ordered that Joseph Stiefel and Aaron Ralf be each allowed Fifteen & 5/100 Dollars for goods furnished poor farm and Volunteers family as per bill on file —

Ordered that Dwight Mowry be allowed Five Dollars for wheat furnished Volunteers family as per certificate on file

Ordered that Mrs John Mathews be allowed Fifteen Dollars for taking care of poor as per order of Trustee of Stafford Township —

Ordered that E. R. Powell be allowed Fifteen Dollars for medical attendance on Volunteers families as per bill and certificate on file —

3rd Day

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Sept 3rd 1863

A petition is now presented to the Board praying the location of a public highway in Richland Township which is in these words

To the Board of Commissioners for DeKalb County & State of Indiana

We the undersigned citizens of DeKalb County and residents of the immediate vicinity would respectfully petition your Honorable Board praying for the location of a public highway in Richland Township Commencing twenty five rods East of the North west corner of the North East quarter of Section seven thence South eighty rods thence East Eighteen rods. thence South to the State road leading from Auburn in DeKalb County to Lisbon in Noble County with the privilege of running west forty one rods on the South line of Section Seven and Eighteen to the quarter post of the South west corner of the South East quarter of Section seven thence South on the quarter line to said State road. Said highway to be thirty feet in width, said route passes through lands owned by Michael Kline Joseph Kirkpatrick and Horatio Blake. Signed by Michael Kline and others

Petitioners will be on the ground Saturday before the Election

And thereupon the Board being satisfied that due notice had been given Lenty appoints Abraham McCutcheon John Pepple and James Latsar viewers on said proposed highway.

A petition is now presented to the Board praying the location of a highway Union Township which is in these words.

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To the Honorable Commissioners of DeKalb County in the State of Indiana. We the undersigned freeholders of said County would respectfully petition your honorable body to grant the location of the following proposed highway. Viz. Commencing at the centre of the State road running from Auburn to Smiths in said DeKalb County at a point where it crosses the open line between the lands owned by Mariah Engleman and James Cooper then running south on said line through the lands of Mariah Engleman James Cooper Henry Shenbeck and the heirs of James Savage and L Nordheimer all in Union Township of said County and through the lands of Wm Roberts Ruth Hague and P and J Cobbler in Section number one of Jackson Township in the county aforesaid. the same intersects a road of said Jackson Township on the open line aforesaid. Signed by L Nordheimer & others.

And the Board being satisfied that due notice had been given now hear appoints Isaac Kutzner John Davis and J.J. Huffman as viewers on said proposed highway.

1268 1269 270 1271 1267 1266. Ordered that L. Nordheimer be allowed Four Hundred Dollars Ephraim Berry Four Hundred Dollars and James B Morrison Four Hundred Dollars for money loaned Building Committee of new Court House

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1272, 1273, 1274. Ordered that S. H. Knott and James B. Donovan be each allowed One & 50/100 Dollars and Ephraim Berry 50/100 Dollars for interest to date on money loaned Building Piers of Bar Court House

It being made to appear to the Board that there is now no Constables in Fairfield Township in this County. The Board on due consideration now appoint Jacob Cushwa and William Hart as constables in said Township until their successors are elected and qualified.

And the Board adjourned until Friday morning at 9 o'Clock A.M.

John Brandon
J. M. Brumbach
Amzi Seely

4th day — The Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present Messrs. Brandon Brumbach & Seely commissioners and other officers same as at the last sitting.

1275. Ordered that M & A Hall be allowed Nine 50/100 Dollars for goods furnished Volunteers families as per bill on file

1276. Ordered by the Board that one Hundred and thirty four Dollars be appropriated for building a part of the Bridge across the Creek at Silmer's Mill under the superintendence of John Brandon.

1277. Ordered that J. W. Lawson be allowed Sixteen dollars & 25/100 expense of printing County Bonds as per bill on file

1278. Ordered by the Board that E. S. Hare be allowed Two Dollars for one pair of shoes furnished Adam Knott Supt. of poor farm.

1279. Ordered that Edward Eldridge be allowed Seven 50/100 Dollars for goods furnished poor farm.

1280. Ordered that York Ellinger be allowed Eight Dollars for Coffin and attending funeral of Nathan Shrom as per bill on file.

1281. Ordered that J. L. Davis be allowed Seventeen 17/100 Dollars for goods furnished poor farm as per bill on file.

1282. Ordered that Guy Plum be allowed Two Dollars for copying Specifications of the new Court House as per bill on file

1283. Ordered that D. M. Knisley be allowed Twenty three 50/100 Dollars for goods furnished Poor House as per bill on file

Ordered that S. M. Stalcop be allowed Nineteen 50/100 dollars for goods furnished War Widows as per bill on file

Ordered that Amana Saxman be allowed Six 0
1845 00/100 Dollars for Labor at the poor House as per bill on file

Ordered that Mary E Lawhead be allowed Three 92/100 Dollars for Labor at the poor House as per bill on file

Ordered that Edward Matthews be allowed
1846 Eighteen 72/100 Dollars for labor done on poor farm as per bill filed

A petition is now presented to the Board of Commissioners praying for the Location of a Road in Smithfield Township which is in these word and figures following towit.

To the Hon. the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County Indiana the undersigned would respectfully petition your Hon Body to locate a Road commencing and running as follows, Commencing at a point on the Ft Wayne and Cold Water Road in section Fifteen (15) Township Thirty five (35) North of Range Thirteen (13) East in said DeKalb County where the East and West quarter line of said section crosses said Road and running thence due west on the quarter line of section Fifteen (15) Section sixteen (16) and into Section seventeen (17) until it strikes a road already laid out on the quarter line of Section Seventeen (17) Known as the Sackhart road and in distance one mile and three fourths. And your petitioner further says that the whole line of said proposed Highway is now opened and almost passable the whole length and that if it is located it will greatly benefit the people who reside along said Highway and that its location is of public utility all of which is respectfully prayed by the undersigned freeholders of said County six of whom reside in the immediate neighborhood of said proposed location. Signed Samuel Till and others
And the Board being satisfied that the legal notice had been given appoint William Clark Joel E Thompson and Jacob Myers viewers on said proposed Highway

Ordered that Jos. Shilkland be allowed Seventy Seven 12/100 Dollars for goods furnished poor farm as per bill on file

Ordered by the Board that S. Knoll be allowed Twenty Eight 75/100 Dollars for Superintending the poor farm as per bill on file

Ordered that James Lawhead be allowed Three Dollars for labor on poor farm as per bill on file

Ordered that A. Knoll be allowed Eighty three
6 75/100 Dollars

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Ordered that Adam Knott be allowed Eighty Three dollars and Sixty four cents for produce for poor farm as per bill on file

Ordered that John Cable be allowed one 85/100 Dollars for butter furnished poor farm as per bill on file.

Ordered that Reuben Lockwood be allowed Two 50/100 dollars for work and labor on poor farm as per bill on file

Ordered that Robert Knott be allowed Twenty Two 42/100 Dollars for work done & goods furnished poor farm as per bill on file

Ordered by the Board that John Cook be appointed to Superintend the building of a Bridge near A Hendersons in Jackson Township.

Ordered by the Board that John Brandon be allowed Twelve & 50/100 dollars for services Superintending Count House and selling Bridge as per bill on file

A Petition is now presented to the Board of Commissioners praying for the location of a Highway in Franklin Township which is in these words and figures to-wit

To the Hon Board of commissioners of DeKalb County Indiana. The undersigned citizens of Franklin Tp. in said County would respectfully request that the proper legal steps be taken by your Honorable body for the location of a road on the following route to-wit Beginning at a point Eight rods west of the N.E. corner of Sec 6. in T. 33 N. of R. 14. E Franklin in DeKalb Co. and thence South on the center line North & South of the N.E. & S.E. quarters of Section 6. to a road running East and West and then to terminate said west line through or on the line of lands of A Baxter Jas Brown. E Richey J. Harmon & N. Clark & Little. And your petitioners as we duty bound will ever pray &c Aug 1863 Signed H.C. Jones and others.

And the Board being satisfied that the legal Notice had been given appoint Jeremiah Plum Freeman Kelly Benjamin Brandeberry viewers on said proposed highway.

Ordered by the Board that John N. Miller be allowed Twenty five Dollars for Quarter Services as per bill on file

Ordered that J. M. Brumbach be allowed Two Dollars for Services in going to fish Creek to attend to a bridge as per bill on file

Ordered that Daniel Walb be allowed Four 50/100 Dollars as per bill on file.

And the Board Adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 8, O'Clock A. M. Publicly Read and Signed

John Brandon

J. M. Brumbach

Amzi Kelly

September Session Sept 12th 1863

4th day

Saturday September 12th 1863 The Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present the same as of yesterday

Ordered that Wm Ralston be allowed Twenty five Dollars for extra services as Clerk of the Circuit Court as per bill on file.

It appearing to the Board of County Commissioners that the office of County Surveyor is now Vacant by the resignation of Daniel M. Allenburg the Board now here appoints Spencer Dilks County Surveyor to serve until his successor is Elected and qualified

It is ordered by the Board that Thirty Dollars be appropriated for the construction of a Bridge across the mill race of Zimmerman in Concord Township under the Superintendence of William Tindal

It is further ordered by the Board that one Hundred Dollars be appropriated to the construction of a Bridge across Fish Creek in Franklin Township under the superintendence of A. K. Huselman

Ordered that J C F Sherlock Esqr. be allowed Thirty Six Dollars for cutting and Engraving corner Stone for new Court House

Ordered that Lewis B Burdick ~~[illegible]~~ Frances A Johnson and John W Smith each be allowed Twenty five Dollars which sum shall go towards the support of their families providing they have any and if not then to themselves or those that shall be lawfully entitled to it.

Ordered that John Landon be allowed Fifteen dollars for services as county commissioner at the September Session 1863

Ordered that Isaac Brunsdock be allowed Fifteen dollars for services as county commissioner at the September session 1863

Ordered that Amzi Sely be allowed Fifteen Dollars for services as County Commissioner at the September Session 1863

Ordered that John W Miller be allowed Two Dollars for services in attending Commissioners Court at the September Session 1863

Ordered by the Board that Ben Hallman be allowed Two Dollars and fifty Cents $2.50 for services as Sheriff of Lake County

Board adjourned to meet in course

John Brandon
Jacob Brunsdock
Amzi Sely

Oct. Special Session Oct 6 1863

The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County met pursuant to Notice given by the Auditor of said County, present John Brandon and Anzi Selby and Geo. McWilliam Clerk The Board met for the purpose of estimating material and work on stone on new Court House and for the purpose of issuing orders to the Builders. Whereupon the Board

Ordered that Four Thousand dollars in County orders be issued to the Builders of said Court House

1421 Ordered that John Brandon and Anzi Selby be each allowed Three dollars for services as as Commissioners of DeKalb County at this Oct. Special Session

and Board adjourned to session in Course

John Brandon
Anzi Selby

November Special Session

Auburn November 9. 1863

The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County met pursuant to verbal notice being given by the Auditor of said County for the purpose of examining the Bonds of the county officers elected at the Oct. election 1863. Whereupon

George Barney the person elected Treasurer of said county and John Bateman the person elected Clerk of the Court of said DeKalb County Charles the person elected County Surveyor of DeKalb county. presented their Bonds. which Bonds were approved, accepted. and signed by said Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county. present John Brandon and Jesse M. Brumback Commissioners. and Geo. McWilliam Auditor

1481 Ordered that John Brandon and Jesse M. Brumback be each allowed Three Dollars for services as Commissioners of DeKalb County.

John Brandon
J. M. Brumback

1st day Dec Session Dec 7 1863

The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county met in pursuance of law Dec 7th 1863 Present John Brandon Jesse M. Bumback Augs Selby Commissioners and John N. Mellen Sheriff and George Wellman Clerk of the Board

A Petition is presented to the Board of Commissioners which is in the following words and figures

Gray Nov the 2nd 1863

We the undersigned petitioners pray the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county to grant a road in Gray Township DeKalb county Indiana. Commencing at the North East corner of the North West quarter of section Twenty (20) thence running west on the North line of section Nineteen until it intersects the Lick Creek road passing through the lands of Benjamin Wise and Hodges Aldrich on the North and Robert Shoemaker & Bryant and Susan Wensley on the South of said line viz

	A Bryant	Benjamin Wise	
Wm Wise Clerk	Jacob Beemer	Henry Reinecke	
Simon Aldrich	Wm McClellan	John Reinecke	
Henry Aldrich	H. Barnett	A. S. Casebeer	
Eben M. Cole	Robert Shoemaker	Joshua Casebeer	
	Susan Wensley	Edward Scarborough	
		George Casebeer &c.	

The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb being satisfied that proper and legal notice was given and there being no remonstrance against the road the Board upon due consideration grant the prayers of the petitioners and order the above described road laid out and opened to the width of forty feet.

James M. Watson Daniel Deitz and Joshua Bradley viewers appointed heretofore to view a road in Smithfield Township which is in words and figures as follows viz Their report

Auburn Dec 5th 1863

We the viewers appointed to view said Road did on the fifth day of Dec. 1863 proceed to view and mark out said Road as follows to Wit. Commencing at the quarter post on the West side of Section Twenty (20) Township Thirty six (36) North of Range Thirteen (13) East thence East on the quarter section line passing through lands owned by Daniel Baker Zimmerman Adams Lockwood & Christian Swinson Morgan Minnick Geo Young Henry Hood & Jo Shoemaker and lands owned by the Heirs of John Hood deceased intersecting a North and South road Extending on the East line of Section Twenty six in said Township and lay out the same to the width of forty feet as described in the order. We James M Watson chain Carrier Allen Butler who claims to have been Elected Recorder of DeKalb County at the last Election & Lawrence Lee Each which is allowed by the Board

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Daniel Leitz and Joshua Beagle did view and mark out said road and we the Viewers report said road favorable and of public utility signed James Mc Watchens Daniel Leitz and said Joshua Beagle The Board accept the report and order the above road established and laid out and opened

Ordered that James Mc Watchens Daniel Leitz and Joshua Beagle
13 be each allowed one dollar for services as viewers
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William Mc Cann Henry Saylor and Jacob Dennar present their report of a road in Concord Township which upon due consideration the Board of Commissioners reject and set aside for want of form. and

Ordered that William Mc Cann Henry Saylor and Jacob Dennar
18 19 20 be each allowed one dollar for services as road viewers

Jeremiah Plum Benjamin Brandabury and Freeman Kelly the persons appointed heretofore to view a road in Franklin Township report as follows to wit. Nov. 14. 1868.

We the viewers appointed to said road did on the 14th day of November 1868 proceed to view said Road as follows to wit commencing at a point Erected Rode West of the North East corner of Section Six in Township Thirty five North of Range Fourteen East Franklin Township Delaware County Indiana thence South on the center line North and South of the North East and South East quarter of Section Six to a road Running East and West and then to terminate. said Road to be Forty feet in Width as described in the order the Jeremiah Plum Benjamin Brandabury and Freeman Kelly did view and mark out said road and we the viewers report said Road favorable and of public utility signed Jeremiah Plum Benjamin Brandabury and Freeman Kelly upon due consideration the Board accept the report and order the above described road said out and established

Ordered Jeremiah Plum Benjamin Brandabury and Freeman Kelly
15 16 17 be each allowed one dollar

Ordered that Jeremiah Plum be allowed two dollars for services as Road viewer said working report three

Came came Edson Platt and presents his Petition to sell Spirituous Liquors and Malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart on his premises situated on Lot No 40. in the Town of Westville City County of Delaware and State of Indiana. The Board being duly satisfied of the notice and legal publication of the same and that the above named is a person of good Moral Character thereupon the Board ordered that License be granted to Edson Platt to sell Spirituous Liquors and malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart.

on his premises situated in Waterloo City on Lot No 110 DeKalb County and State of Indiana

Leave Absent

Came now John Minnick and presents his petition to sell his Spirituous Vinous and Malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart on his premises situated on Lot No 110 in the Town of Waterloo DeKalb County and State of Indiana. The Board being duly satisfied that proper and legal notice had been given [illegible] Leave be granted to the said John Minnick to sell Spirituous Vinous and malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart on his premises situated on Lot No 110 in the Town of Waterloo DeKalb County and State of Indiana

21 Ordered that Seth Merrick be allowed Three dollars for superintending the construction of a Bridge East of Spencerville as per bill on file
Ordered that the following named persons be allowed the amounts set opposite their names respectively for services as jurors in case of the inquest of David Fisher Deceased

23 Bond B.F. for services as juror Twenty five cts
24 Albert McWilliams " " " " " "
25 J.L. Berry " " " " " "
26 Geo. Wolf " " " " " "
27 Geo. Fisher " " " " " "
28 Saml. Whitman " " " " " "
29 Hilchner " " " " " "
30 Chas Shaffer " " " " " "
31 David Woodruff " " " " " "
32 Nathaniel Crane " " " " " "
33 Matthew Brooks " " " " " "
34 Timothy McShane " " " " " "
Ordered that Isaiah Sim be allowed Three dollars and five cts for services as Constable at Inquest of D Fisher
Ordered that Jeremiah Town be allowed Five dollars for holding inquest on the body of David Fisher Deceased
Ordered that Isaac C. Mosley be allowed five dollars as atty. at Inquest of Fisher.
The Board adjourned

John Brenden
J. M. Brumback
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Dec 8. 1843

Tuesday Morning Dec 8. 1843 The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County met in pursuance of adjournment present same as yesterday

37 Ordered by the Board that Samuel N Platt be allowed Six dollars Contract on money advanced on the contract of Building New Board House
Ordered that Samuel N. Platt be allowed Four Hundred dollars for money advanced on the contract for Building New Board House in Auburn in said County

38 Ordered that Sixty dollars be appropriated for the payment of the contractor for a Bridge across the Mill race at Spencerville in Concord Township

39 Ordered by the Board that Five dollars be allowed to N. B. Kindall for superintending the construction of a Bridge in Concord Township

39 Ordered by the Board of Commissioners that John Thomas be allowed Seventy dollars for Keeping Henry Thomas a pauper from the Sept. Session of this Board to the Dec. Session of said Board

40 Ordered that L. Zimmerman & Co. be allowed Fifty three dollars and Seventy two cts for Flour furnished families of Volunteers

To the Hon. Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana Whereas about the year 1843 or 1842 a road was located or an attempt was made to do so, on the following line to wit. commencing at the point where the road leading from Waterloo (then Enterprise) Steuben County Indiana to Auburn DeKalb county Indiana crosses the North and South Center line of the N. W. qr of Sec. 30 Town 35 N. of Range 14. E. in said Co. of DeKalb. Thence South on said line to the South line of said quarter Section. Said portion of road being a part of a road commencing at the point indicated above and running South and South Eastwardly into Springfield Township and Whereas through a mistake occasioned by an uncertainty as to the true position of said line, the said road was placed on one side of said line contrary to the law in such case made and provided. and Whereas there is some doubt whether said road on the line above first described can be legally altered and corrected owing to the fact that the road as now traveled has been used as a highway more than twenty years

Therefore the undersigned freeholders of said County, five of us living in the immediate vicinity of the proposed relocation or change. Consider respectfully ask that the proper legal steps may be taken for the relocation or change of the road running over the line first above described so that said road may be upon such line and to continue South until it intersects the old road at

said road as described as running South and South eastly into Wilmington Township. Said re-location or change runs through or on the line of lands owned and occupied by Samuel Jones Elijah Watsman and John Meatsman Nov 1863 Signed

Wade Pitzer	Miles Watsman
B. H. Daniels	John Meatsman
" Kelly	George Bryan
Thomas Kelly	W. M. McQueen
John D. Carter	Wm McQueen
Roberts Jones	Lyman L. Hodge
Daniel J. Moller	John Pinson
	Lyman Waterman

The Board upon due consideration granted the prayers of the petitioners and appointed Benjamin Brandabury Geo. Wolf and Geo. Sucks viewers to view and report at next session. Board of Commissioners being satisfied that proper and Legal Notice was given

A Petition for a road in Sutton Township is now presented to the Board which is in words and figures as follows to wit.

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Ind. We the undersigned citizens hereby Petition for a change in the county road running East and West by the Perry Saw mills situated in Section (24) Township 33. North of Range Twelve East in DeKalb county Indiana and now owned by John Stoner Jr. and Jacob A Moller. Said alteration to commence at the center of Section County six Township Thirty three in said county thence east. East on the South side of the center line of said Section to the west line of section County ~~six~~ line (24) in said Township the above alteration will effect the lands of John Stoner and J. A. Moller Sutton Nov 3 1863 Signed

J. Simkins	Wesley Moller
Daniel Simkins	L. W. Kelley
Levi Jackson	John Lyon
Nathan Kerr	John Stoner Jr.
Davis Smith	William Pelpple
Edmund Freeman	Thomas Neall
Jacob A Moller	William Isanell
Samuel Snyder	Robert Neall
Abraham Hale	F. S. Smith
David A Moller	John A Shaffer
J. M. Neall	Henry Hoagle
Robert Neall	J. V. Horan

The Board upon the prayers of the petitioners and appoint James McClellan Phillip Swank Christian Bruel viewers. The Board being satisfied that proper and Legal Notice was given

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Lewis Doty comes now and presents his petition to sell Spirituous Vinous and Malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart on his premises situated on Lot No 3 in A. M. McClure Addition to the Town of Corunna DeKalb county Indiana. The Board being satisfied that proper and legal Notice had been given and that the above named is a person of good moral character Therefore Ordered That License be granted to Lewis Doty to sell Spirituous vinous and malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart on his premises in Corunna DeKalb county Indiana

upon a reconsideration The Board is of opinion that the petition of Isaac Smith and others praying for a road in Smithfield presented at the June Term of this Board in 1863 signed by Morgan Hinman W. H. Duncan John Zimmerman and others ought to be dismissed, it is therefore ordered that said petition is dismissed

Comes now Ephraim Whitsel and presents his petition to sell Spirituous Vinous and malt Liquor in in less quantities than a quart on his premises situated on Lot No 43 in the Village of Waterloo City DeKalb county Indiana The Board being satisfied that proper and legal Notice had been given and that the above named is a person of good moral character Therefore upon due consideration the Board Ordered that License be granted to Ephraim Whitsel to sell Spirituous Vinous and malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart on his premises situated on Lot No 43 in Waterloo City DeKalb county Indiana

41 Ordered that Daniel Shull be allowed five dollars for aid to Vol. families as per Bill on file

42 Allowed N. L. Thomas Eight dollars and Thirteen cts for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per Bill on file

75 Allowed H. H. O'Neilleen Five dollars for make of DeKalb County furnished Auditors office

76 Allowed John Coultas Twenty five dollars for Secrid services as Clerk of Court of DeKalb county

77 Allowed John Coultas Nine dollars and Eighty five cts for Cash advanced for Grand Jur &c, for Clerks office

78 Ordered by the Board of Commissioners that W. H. Dickinson be allowed Sixty two dollars and fifty cts for printing and Stationery for County of DeKalb as per Bill on file

79 Allowed one dollar and fifty cts to Lewis Brown for cash advanced for Jurors as per Bill on file

80 Allowed Isaac M. Barnhart Six dollars and forty Nine cts cash advanced on Soldiers families orders

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91 Allowed $3.00 Sam five dollars as an order paid Mrs Pleasant

92 Ordered that Samuel M Walston be allowed Thirty three dollars and fifty five cts as order paid to families of Volunteers as per Bill on file

87 Ordered that Silas Bradley be allowed Four dollars and Thirty seven cts for sawing wood for the offices as per Bill on file

93 Ordered that George Barney be allowed Fourteen dollars and Nine cts for services as Treasurer of DeKalb county

94 Allowed George Barney Two dollars and Thirty one cts for Postage incident to the office of Treasurer

95 Allowed N. G. Wilson Two dollars and fifty cts for Stationary furnished Clerks office of DeKalb county as per Authenticated Bill on filed

87 Allowed A Wall Seventy five dollars and Thirty one cts for order in favor Volunteers' families as per order on file

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county that the following named persons be allowed the amounts set opposite their names respectively for making returns of Elections 1843

97	Truman Wing	one day and	12	miles travel	$ 1.60
98	Michael Deem	" " "	12	" "	1.60
99	D. B. Simmons	" " "	16	" "	1.80
100	Jacob B. Deem	" " "	10	" "	1.50
101	John B. Deem	" " "	10	" "	1.50
102	Emanuel Fritch	" " "	24	" "	2.20
103	Isaac Whitman	" " "	2	" "	1.10
104	Jacob Price	" " "	24	" "	2.20
105	Enoch Moody	" " "	26	" "	2.40
106	[illegible]	" " "	24	" "	2.40
107	Samuel B Masselman	" " "	30	" "	2.50
108	Joshua Hazelton	" " "	30	" "	2.50
109	Levi Deem	" " "	16	" "	1.80

110 Ordered that Joseph M Reed be allowed Ten dollars and Seventy five cts for goods furnished Sarah Walston an insane person

111 Allowed Joseph M Reed as Executor and eighty three dollars and

112 Ten cts for Executors orders to Mrs Widdows paid

Ordered that James M. Hazelton Daniel Swift and Joshua Teagle be each for services as Road viewers

Same were sworn Wm McClintock Valentine Deem and Daniel Kimsey the persons last appointed Road viewers and reported as follows.

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We the unders appointed Surveyors to view said Road did on the day 1863 proceed to said Road as follows to wit. Commencing at the centre of Bridge Street in McMellen's 1st addition to the Town of Cannon Thence running East on what is now known the East road in said addition about one half mile Thence North to the South side of the Michigan Southern and Northern Indiana Rail Road to intersect the road Thence running East as described in the order. We John McCullough Valentine Wearer and Daniel Reinacht did view and mark out said road and we the viewers report said Road favorable and of public utility and lay out said road to the Width of sixty feet Signed John McCullough Valentine Wearer and Daniel Reinacht

The Board adopt the report and upon due consideration and order said road Established and laid out.

113 Ordered That John McCullough Valentine Wearer and David
114 Reinacht be each allowed one dollar

John Brandon
J. M. Brumbach
Attest Seal

8 Cont. Wednesday Morning Dec 9. 1863 The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county met pursuant to adjournment present same as yesterday

120 Allowed Comm. H. Isaac Five dollar and Twenty Three cts for Stationary furnished DeKalb county as per Bill on file

116 Ordered That Levy Elson be allowed Five dollars for notifying Trustees of Oct. Election 1863

121 Ordered That John S. White be allowed Four dollars for services rendered in notifying Trustees of DeKalb county of Election to be held in said county in Oct. 1863

85 Ordered That C.S. Pierce be allowed two dollars for 1 Pr Shoes furnished Mrs Smith as per Bill on file

122 Ordered That William H. Bostwick be allowed Twelve dollars Services &c furnished Mrs Brownlee a Year Old dawn

Jesse Ware Jacob Pierce and others presents his petition to sell Spirituous Vinous and malt liquors in less quantities than a quart on his premises situated on Sec No Ninety four in the Town of Auburn County of DeKalb and State of Louisiana. The Board being satisfied that proper and legal Notice was given and that the above named is a person of good moral character It is therefore ordered that License be granted to Jacob Pierce to sell Spirituous Vinous and malt liquors in

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Less quantities than a quart on his premises situated on Lot No 94 in Auburn DeKalb county Indiana for one year as provided by laws one year from Dec. 9, 1863.

Came Isaac Edmond Eldridge and presents his petition to sell intoxicating Drinks in less quantities than a quart. The Board upon due consideration being satisfied that Petition and legal Notice had been given and that the above named is a person of good moral character ordered that License be granted to Ed Eldridge to sell Spirituous Liquors and malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart on the premises now occupied by him situated on Lot No 63. in the Town of Auburn DeKalb county Indiana for one year as provided by Laws

133 Ordered that Joseph Steigel & Co. be allowed one hundred and
134 eighty eight dollars and thirty five cts for orders paid to Val. Faulks from Trustee of Conrad Township as per orders on file and Co. Asylum

A Petition for a road in Richland Township to have been sent to the Board of Commissioners which is in words and figures as follows A Petition of the subscribers citizens of Richland Township DeKalb County Indiana to the Honorable Board of Commissioners humbly pray for a Viewing in the public highways described as follows to wit. commencing at a point in the center of the road known as the Auburn and Lisbon road on the East line of S. South East qr of section fifteen Town 34 East except the West half of South West quarter of sec. fifteen. Said viewed to John Knisley Town East to a point South of Benjamin Hopkins Barn and nine rods north of the present location Town East leaving the East part of the South west qr of sec. fifteen. Said viewed by Benjamin Hopkins Town East on a direct line to a point in the center of the road between Isaac S Pardons House and Shop and there to terminate in said Township. Nov 7th 1863 Signed

John Knisley	L. Brown
W. D. Irwin	L. Dawson
David Saunders	David Saunders
John Irwin	S. B. Hoagy
Wm M. Hosler	Benjamin Hopkins
Wm Saunders	S. M. Pearce
Isaac Young	W. A. M. Shull
Selina Hoagland	John B. Pearce
Wm. M. Hoagland	Richard Conrad
	S. C. Dawson
	William Edwards

The Board being satisfied that Notice and Legal notice was given upon due consideration ordered that the prayer of the petitioners and appointed Viewers Daniel Saunders Benjamin Hopkins and William Dawson viewers

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Came now William Clark Carl G. Thompson and Jacob Meyers the persons appointed to view a proposed road in Smithfield Township and report as follows to wit

We the viewers to view said road did on the 21st day of November 1863 proceed to view and locate said road as follows to wit commencing at a point on the West range and East Water Road in Section fifteen (15) Township thirty five (35) North of Range Thirteen East in said DeKalb county where the East and West quarter line of said Section crosses said road and running thence due West on the quarter line of Sec. fifteen (15) sixteen (16) and into Section 17. until it strike the road that is already laid out on the quarter line of Section seventeen (17) known as the Lockhart road and in distance about one mile and three quarters. the same to be the width of thirty feet as laid out in the order We William Clark Carl G Thompson and Jacob Meyers did view and mark out said road and we the viewers report said road favorable and of public utility Signed

William Clark C. G. Thompson and Jacob Meyers

The Board upon due deliberation order the above described road to be laid and Established and opened

A. McEntarfer John Pipple and [illegible] Sabin the persons appointed to view a road in Richland Township came now and report as follows

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We the viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 20. day of Oct 1863 proceed to view said road as follows to wit. Twenty three rods East of the North West corner of the North East quarter of Section seven thence South Eighty rods thence East eighteen rods thence South until it intersects the State Road leading from Auburn in DeKalb county to Goshen in Noble county with the privilege of running West Forty one Rods on the South line of Section seven and Eighteen to the quarter post of the South West corner of the South East quarter of Section seven thence South on the quarter line to said State road. said road passes through lands owned by Michael Kline Joseph Wilkpatrick and Horatio Wade as described in the order We the viewers Abraham McEntarfer John Pipple and [illegible] Sabin did view and mark out said road and we the viewers report said road unfavorable signed by

A McEntarfer
John Pipple
[illegible] Sabin

Ordered that A McEntarfer John Pipple and [illegible] Sabin be allowed two dollars for services as Road viewers

Allowed Christian Steele John D. Bowers and Joseph Walters two dollars each for services as road viewers

3 day.

136 Ordered that George Barnes be allowed six dollars and seven cts for each issuance for the Education of the District as per Bill

Ordered that one hundred and twenty dollars and fifty cts be
137 allowed to William Beatty for Stationary furnished DeKalb county
as per Bill on file

138 Ordered that Adrina Hewett be allowed fifty dollars and thirty five cts for services as Superintendent of DeKalb county Asylum

139 Allowed Chs W. Dodd seven dollars and fifty cts for Stationary furnished DeKalb county as per Bill on file

140 Ordered that Amanda Lehman be allowed four dollars and seventy three cts for work done on the Poor Farm as per Bill on file

141 Ordered that Henry B. Sanford be allowed Ten dollars and seventy nine cts for work done on the Poor Farm as per Bill on file

142 Ordered that Samuel M. Hewett and Levi Hackman be allowed for Attorney Attest and costs as per Bill on file $6.01

143 Ordered that Chs W. Dodd be allowed forty dollars for Stationary furnished DeKalb county Sundries

144 Edward Mathews is ordered to have allowed fourteen dollars and twenty six cts for work done on the Poor Farm

145 Ordered that G. W. Pound all be allowed three dollars for publishing Notice of the Building of a New Jail House in Sycamore DeKalb Co.

Oct 30. 1863

Came now Isaac Mc Wilson Joshua G. McAlpine and John D Smith the persons appointed heretofore to view a road report as follows to the persons appointed to view said Road did on the 24 day of Oct 1863 proceed to view and mark out said Road as follows to wit commencing at the center of the State road running from Sycamore to Kingsville in said DeKalb county at a point where it crosses the afore line road between the land owned by Maria Freeman and Jesse Easton Henry Shulsocks and the Heirs of James Savage Dec'd and S. W. Waldeman. all in Union Township of said county and transfer the lands of Orrelus Elliott to the Road in said Township and John Cable in said Section No 1 in Cortland Township DeKalb county Ill to intersect a road of said Cortland Township on the afore line aforesaid and on the above course [illegible] said road No but said to be called in the order and on the course did view and mark out said road and on the course report said Road favorable and of public utility Thereupon Lemuel Conrad an objector to said road that the proceedings in reference to the above described road be dismissed on account of informality, Whereupon the above proceedings were dismissed Ordered that

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146 Ordered by the Board that Isaac McIntyre John Davis and G. G. McAffinan
147 be each allowed one dollar for services as road viewers
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Came now Isaac McIntyre John Davis and G. G. McAffinan viewers
appointed at the Sept Session of this Board to view a road in Canton Township
and report, which report is set aside on account of insufficiency in the
proceedings and it and the Board appoint John Burke, Christian Shaw
and [illegible] McClellan viewers to review the same road.

149 Ordered that Isaac McIntyre John Davis and Joshua G. McAffinan
150 be each allowed one dollar for services as Road viewers
151

Came now Isaac McIntyre John Davis and G. G. McAffinan the persons
appointed heretofore to view a road in Canton Township Pickaway county and
report as follows to wit.

Auburn Pickaway Co. Oct 30. 1863

We the viewers appointed to view said road did on the 24. day
of Oct. 1863 proceed to view and mark out said Road as follows
to wit. Commencing at the center of the State Road running from
Auburn to Circleville in said County where it crosses the Section line
between Sections 35 and 36. on the lands owned by Hugh Shrime
and G. Co. Walker thence South on the Section line on lands owned by
John A McKay and Enoch Marr. to the Township line thence Eighty
56 Rods East on said Township line. thence South through lands
owned by Phillip Cable and John Cable to intersect a road running
East and West between John Cable and Mathew George and we the
viewers lay out the above described road sixty feet wide as
described in the order. We Isaac McIntyre John Davis and
G. G. McAffinan did view and mark out said road. and we the
viewers report said road favorable and of public utility
Signed) Isaac McIntyre John Davis and Joshua G. McAffinan
The Board upon due consideration adopt the report and order the
above described road opened and established

152 Ordered that Isaac McIntyre John Davis and G. G. McAffinan
153 be allowed one dollar each for services as Road Viewers
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John Biondan)
J. M. Brumback
Amzi Seely

Dec Session Dec 10 1863

Thursday Dec 10th 1863. The Board of Commissioners of St Mathews County met in pursuance of adjournment present same as yesterday

155 Ordered that William Vallow be allowed fifteen dollars for procuring labor in removing old court House

156 Ordered that Abraham Linn be allowed Eight dollars and fifty cts for Rhea furnished family of Nathan Squires

161 Allowed Lina Brady Nine dollars for Keane not furnished the family as per Bill on file

162 Allowed Dr. G. Emanuel Twelve dollars for Medical attendance on families of Sol. as per Bill on file

Allowed John N. Miller County Six dollars and ten cts for Extra services as Sheriff for watching Road Hands, Boarding prisoner, watching Trustees of Christian &c. &c.

163 Allowed James H Chamberlain County five dollars for Med. attendance
164 on families of Valentine &c.

165 Ordered that Wm Goodloe be allowed Eight nine dollars and twenty five cts for Keane furnished Sol. families

166 Ordered that Childs & Crichlow be allowed Eighteen dollars for paid Trustees order to furnish families

86 Ordered that B. A. Mahaffey & co be allowed one hundred and Eighty Eight dollars and Thirty one cts for order from Trustees to Sol. families paid as per orders on file

Ordered that Joseph D. Davis be allowed Four dollars and Eighty cts for assts rendered St Mathews county in and for the office as per Bill on file

John Brandon
J. M. Brumbock
Amos Seely

to Jail

Dec. Session Dec. 11. 1863

Friday Morning, Dec 11. 1863. The Board of Commissioners of Pickaway county met. present same as yesterday

Ordered by the Board that Edward Wright be allowed forty six dollars and twenty eight cts to be paid out of the special school tax of the several Townships as follows. Wilmington $ 3.75. Butler $9.00. Jackson $ 9.00 Perican $2.75 Smithfield $ 4.75 Town of Jackson 2.75 Franklin $ 2.75 Concord $ 3.75. Newville $ 2.75 $ 3.75 Stafford. $ 2.75 Richland $ 2.75

93 Ordered that Isaac Brandon be allowed six dollars and fifty cts for superintending and letting contracts for Bridges and erecting poor house

172 Ordered that Wesley Maggart be allowed two dollars and forty cts for stationery furnished Treasurers office as per Bill on file

Ordered that twenty five dollars be distributed to the Building of a Bridge across the Little Salt under the supervision of J. M. Brumback

177 Ordered that three dollars be allowed for work done on the Pension Roll for poor farm as allowed on the Bill filed

174 Ordered that Jesse M. Brumback be allowed three dollars for services as Commissioner in superintending Bridges as per Bill on file

Came comes Isaac N. Moore one of the inspectors of an Election held at the Lacy Hotel in Waterloo, on the 3rd day of Nov 1863 to determine by vote whether said Town Should be incorporated or not, and presented the Verified Statement of said inspectors; and after mature deliberation the Board, on being satisfied of the legality of said election and it appearing from said statement, that a majority of the legal votes are in favor of the incorporation of said town. now Therefore it is hereby declared that the petition which was presented at the Sept Session 1863 for the incorporation of said Town (1863) has been incorporated as a Town by the name and style of Waterloo Lacy. and the existence of said Corporation by the name and style aforesaid shall be henceforth judicially taken Notice of in all courts and places in this State without specialty or allegation the same

John Brandon
J. M. Brumback
Amzi Seely

1 day

Commissioners Dec 12. 1863

Saturday Morning Dec 12. 1863 The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana met in pursuance of Adjournment present same as yesterday

Ordered by the Board that Wheelock and and Dixon be allowed Twelve hundred dollars on contract for Building new Vault

Ordered that Anzi Seely be allowed two dollars for services as Commissioner in signing County Bonds

Ordered by the Board that the contract for Building Jail Vaults in the new Jail House be amended to Messrs. Dixon and Wheelock for the sum of Three Hundred and twenty five each and that a written Contract be entred into and placed on file in the Auditors Office which is accordingly done

Issued Nov 28 Ordered by the Board that W. N. Dile be allowed ten dollars for writing Contract for Vaults in new Jail and Specification and Contract for the letting of the Poor Farm &c

752 Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county that two Hundred and twenty dollars be Appropriated for the Building of a Bridge across Indian Creek East of the Grave yard at Auburn.

Ord. Granted Ordered that Jeremiah Sims be appointed to take charge of all the personal property moneys and effects of David Fisher deceased to dispose of said personal property and effects to the best advantage and pay the proceeds into the county Treasury

Ordered that George Robinson be allowed two Hundred and Ninety one dollars and fifty two cts for services as Auditor of DeKalb Co.

754 Ordered that John Brandan E. H. Brumback and Anzi Seely be each allowed Eighteen dollars for services as Commissioners of DeKalb county

Ordered that John N. Keller be allowed Twelve dollars for services as Sheriff at Dec Term of the Board of Commissioners

The Board adjourned to sessions in June

John Brandan
J. H. Brumback
Anzi Seely

Assignment of East ½ S. in Twp 35 N. R. 15 E. Jacob Helming to Chambright Reece

For value received I hereby assigne and convey to Chambright Reece all my right Title and interest in the within Certificate of purchase of the within described land being the East one half of the South West quarter of Section Fifteen in Town ship 35 Range fifteen 15 east containing Eighty five acres and 43/100 more or less in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 27. day of February A.D. 1864

Jacob. Helming (Seal)

State of Indiana }
DeKalb County } ss. Before me this 27 day of February A.D. 1864 Jacob Helming acknowledged the assignment of the land described in the within as above written to be his act and deed

Witness my hand and Notarial seal this day and year above written

James Calgrove Notary Public

Assignment of West ½ S. in Twp 35 N. R. 15 E. Chambright Reece to D. D. McCurdy.

For value received I hereby assign and convey to Dempser D. McCurdy all my right title and interest in the within Certificate of purchase of the within described Land being the East one half of the South West quarter of Section No. fifteen (15) Town thirty five (35) Range fifteen (15) East containing Eighty five 43/100 Acres of land more or less In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 29th day of February A. 1864

Chambright Reece (Seal)

State of Indiana }
DeKalb County } ss. Before me this 29th day of February 1864 Chambright Reece acknowledged the assignment of the land described in the within as above written to be his free act and deed

Witness my hand and Notarial seal this day and year above written

James E. Rose
Notary Public

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Auditor DeKalb County to Dempser D McCurdy.

Whereas Dempser D. McCurdy assignee of Chambright Reece assignee of Jacob Helming has paid Two Hundred and Sixteen Dollars and Ninety four cts $216.94 being the full amount due on the South West ¼ of the South West quarter of Section No Fifteen (15) in Township No Thirty five (35) North of Range fifteen 15 East in DeKalb County and State of Indiana

Now know ye that in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the Statute in such cases made and provided, I the said Auditor of DeKalb county and State of Indiana for and in the name of the United States of America and Township No Thirty five North of Range fifteen 15 East in said county do grant to the said Dempser D. McCurdy his Heirs and

assignee for one Ten Acres of the South West quarter of Section Twelve (12) Township No Thirty five (35) North of Range Fifteen East in said Dekalb County and State of Indiana.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name as Auditor of Dekalb Co. and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said Co. this 29 day of February 1864.

Seal

Geo. Quickman
Auditor DeKalb County

State of Indiana } ss
Dekalb County }

Before me James B. Morrison a Notary Public came Geo. Quickman Auditor of Dekalb county and acknowledged the execution of the annexed Deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed this 29th day of February A.D. 1864.

James B. Morrison
N.P. Dekalb co Ind.

March Session

Auburn DeKalb county Indiana March 7. 1864. The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana met in pursuance of law. present John Brandon & Mr. Brumback and Augs Doty Commissioners, and John N. Miller Sheriff and Geo. Kuhlman Ex Officio Clerk

Schuyler S. Reed comes now and presents his petition to the Board of Commissioners of said county to sell Spirituous Vinous and Malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart. The Board upon due consideration and being satisfied that proper and legal Notice had been given
Ordered that License be granted to Schuyler S. Reed to sell Spirituous Vinous and malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart on his premises situated on Lot No. Forty six in the Town of Waterloo City DeKalb county Indiana. Said License to be good for one year from the date of the License

Christopher Rheinhart comes now and presents his petition to the Board of Com. of said county to sell Spirituous Vinous and Malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart and the Board being satisfied that the above named is a person of good moral character and that proper and legal Notice had been given
Ordered that License be granted to Christopher Rheinhart to sell Spirituous Vinous and malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart on his premises situated on Lot No. 43. in the Town of Waterloo City DeKalb county Indiana. Said License to be good for one year from the date of License

Comes now Miriam A. Miller and presents his petition to sell Spirituous Vinous and malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart, and the Board of Commissioners being satisfied that the above named person is suitable to sell Spirituous Vinous and malt Liquors and that proper and legal Notice had been given it is therefore
Ordered that License be granted to Miriam A. Miller to sell Spirituous Vinous and malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart on the premises occupied by him situated on Lot No. 109. in the Town of Waterloo City DeKalb county Indiana said License to continue one year from date of License

276 Ordered that B. B. Long be allowed Eight dollars and for articles furnished
276 Mrs. Reed, widow &c.

Allowed Levi Brown Five dollars for taking care of the poor

417 Allowed D. & T. McClellan four dollars for Make of Vaccine furnished DeKalb co.

Allowed D. A. Brown fourteen dollars and fourty five cts for wood furnished DeKalb county as per Bill on file

Allowed Abraham Ott. twelve dollars for wood furnished DeKalb co.

Allowed Stafford Township for Aid to Vol. families Thirteen dollars and fifty three cts

Allowed ten dollars twelve cts to Stafford Township for Aid to Vol families

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293 Allowed Frederick Swaney fifteen dollars for making coffins for poor
294 Allowed Dibert and Shull four dollars and twenty six cts for goods furnished poor.

Ex-writer of Newville Township presents his Report of the financial condition of of Newville Township for the year ending March 1st 1864 which report is accepted
Ordered Dwight Moody be allowed fifty three dollars and twenty five cts of Township funds of Newville

Comes now the Ex-writer of Butler Township and presents his report of the Receipts and Expenditures of which Report is accepted
Allowed Peter Duncan Thirty four dollars and twenty five cts for services as Trustee

Comes now the Ex-writer of Franklin Twp. and presents his petition Report of the Receipts and Expenditures of Franklin Township for the year ending March 1st. 1864. which report the Board accepts
Ordered that D.B. Mussleman be allowed Forty two dollars and forty five cts of Franklin Township fund

Ex-writer of Strafford Township comes now and presents his report of the receipts and Expenditures of said Township for the year ending March 1st. 1864. which report is accepted by the Board of Commissioners
Ordered that Jacob Orris be allowed Thirty three dollars and Nine cts for services as Ex-writer of said Township out of said Township fund.

Comes now Trustee of Reichland Township and presents his Report for the Receipts and Expenditures of said Township for the year ending March 1st 1864 which report is accepted by the Board
Allowed Levi Bowman fifty dollars for services as trustee of Reichland

295 Allowed John Zimmerman Thirty three dollars and Eighty cts for flour furnished Abl. families
296 Allowed Lewis Stover ten dollars for taking care of paupers
297 Allowed Mrs A. Veale Nineteen dollars and Eighty two cts for Aid to Vol. families

John H. Bower Ex writer of Carlisle Township presents his Report comes of the receipts and Expenditures of said Township which is accepted by the Board of Commissioners
Allowed John H. Bower Sixty two dollars and fifty cts for services as Ex writer of Carlisle Township

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A Petition is now presented from Jackson Township for a Road which is in words and figures as follows to wit.

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana

The undersigned freeholders resident along and in the immediate neighborhood of the following proposed highway pray the location of a highway as follows to wit. commencing on the Allen county line where the section line between sections Thirty five (35) and thirty six (36) in Township thirty two (32) North of Range thirteen East intersects said Allen county line and thence North on said section line until it intersects the Auburn and Spencerville road between the lands of Wm. George and Henry Brown. following the section line one mile west of the East boundry of the aforesaid township Township. Jackson the entire distance and touching upon upon and affecting lands now owned by the following persons viz. David Dunsto John Coats, Wm Watson. Wm. George Noah. James Means. John D Moore Samuel Young. William Phillips. James Stafford Abraham Johnson. Jacob Shearer. William Squires. Asher Squires. D.M. Mickney Alonzo Lockwood Samuel Means. William George and Chr. Brown. signed by.

D.M. Mickney	George Moore	Henry Brown
Wm. Chr. Dunsto	James Moore	William A. Squires
Charles Watson	John G. Moore	John Foster
Maria M Brown	Adam Harper Jun	John D Coats
Ezekiel Brown	Adam Harper Sen.	Alonzo Lockwood
John M Brown	Benton Brown	William Phillips

The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county upon due consideration granted the prayer of the petitioners and appoint Isaiah Sargeant, James Carter & William Lessig Viewers

A Petition is now presented from Jackson Township for a Public notice is in words and figures as follows to wit.

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana

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The undersigned citizens of Jackson Township of said county represent to your honorable Board the necessity for location of a Road in said Township commencing in the East and west Road at the School House on the Comiskey School house and to run South between Sections 31. and 32. to the county line Road a distance of one mile. Therefore we the Petitioners as aforesaid pray your Honorable Board to grant us a view on said Survey with reference to locating a road thereon. on lands owned by the following named persons. William Sargeant Brown & Morgan Brown on the West side of Survey and on East side Morgan Brand George Hartley and Wilson Burnham and your petitioners will ever pray &c Signed by the following named persons

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Jacob Mauser	Edward Foreman	Jacob Schaum
M M Fury	William Nash	D. M. Shipley
George Worley	Geo. Smith	James Lawrence
David J. Miller	William Bentley	William D. Slagle
Abraham Nash	D. D. Bailey	William D. Cunningham
D. D. Cunningham	D. Ed. Bailey	
Joseph Miller	William L. Nesbit	
John Depew	Charles Connelley	

The Board upon due consideration granted the prayers of the petitioners and appoint Jacob. Shugart D. D. Batschaw and D. D. Elsea viewers

Board adjourned until Tuesday Morning

John Brandon)
J. M. Brumbock
Henry Seely

Tuesday Morning March 8. 1864. Board met pursuant to adjournment present same as yesterday

Trustee of Fairfield Township comes now and presents his Report of the Receipts and Expenditures of Fairfield Township for the year ending March 1st 1864. which Report after due consideration the Board accepted the report and Ordered that Emanuel Nicking be allowed out of said Township funds fifty three dollars and fifty three cts for services as Trustee of said Township

Trustee of Troy Township comes now and presents his Report of the financial condition of said Township for the the year ending March 1st. 1864. which report is accepted by the Board of Com.
Ordered that Joshua Casebeer be allowed seventeen dollars and seventy five cts for services as Trustee of said Township out of said Township funds

294 Allowed D. M. Shultz fifteen dollars and fourteen cts for flour furnished families of Vol.

295 Allowed Simon Stiffler Thirty three dollars and twenty five cts for goods furnished families of Volunteers

300 Ordered that R. C. Simmons be allowed Three dollars and ~~for~~ services as assessor of the poor.

301 Allowed Caroline Widner for keeping Widd pauper twelve dollars

302 Allowed J. Sherwood fifteen dollars for goods furnished families of Vol.

303 Allowed John Platter Twenty dollars for keeping pauper to the 1st inst.

304 Ordered that John Platter be allowed twenty one dollars and fifty cts for keeping Christ. Widner as per bill filed and

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2 day 305 Ordered that Samuel Edgeley be allowed thirty two dollars and seventeen cts for goods furnished Pauper as per Bill on file

In vacation of Wellington Township comes now and presents his Report of the Receipt and expenditure of said Township for the year ending March 1 1864 which report was accepted by the Board.
Allowed P.B. Simmons forty dollars and fifty cents for services as Trustee of said Township to be paid out of the Township fund.

306 Allowed William Hamilton fifteen dollars and fifty three cts for goods furnished families of Volunteers

307 Allowed Jeremiah Shaw one dollar and seventy five for services as Com. in letting the Estate of David Fisher

Sat Warwick Trustee of Concord Township comes and presents his Report of the Receipts and expenditures of said Township for the year ending March 1 1864 which report the Board of commissioners upon due consideration accept and order that Sat Winick be paid out of said Township fund twenty dollars and sixteen cts for services as Trustee of Concord

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of said Dekalb county in the State of Indiana.
We the undersigned citizens and freeholders of Troy Township county and State aforesaid would respectfully represent to your honorable body that a public Highway is needed for the benefit of the traveling public and for the use of the citizens in the neighborhood. commencing and running as follows to wit. beginning at the State line on the East side and and on the center line of Section four in said Township of Troy. thence running west on said center line through lands owned by John McDonald Sen. on the South through lands owned by Robert Moore until it strikes or intersects a Highway running north and south on the west side of said Section four.
We therefore ask your honorable body to grant a writ to establish and locate a highway forty feet wide on the line above set forth
Signed by the following named persons

James McDonald	John McDonald Jun	D Swarenburg
Abraham Caples	John McDonald Sen.	Jno Swarenburg
Samuel Deen	Peter Brunner	John Winick
John Evans	John Hull	John Bohner
John Knapp	Christ Switzer	H.D. Swarenburg
Thomas Deen	Daniel McClellan	William Todd & al

Executive Proceedings
The Board upon the petitions and affidavit George Eyman Joseph Jr. Jennings and William Shaw viewers

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2 days.

308 Allowed Laura Bangs Nine dollars for Wages and furnish Mrs. Mr. Maynard wife of Vol.

309 Allowed William M. Redamer fifteen dollars and for goods furnished families of Volunteers

310 Allowed Frederick Lang. Five dollars for goods furnished families of Vol.

Road Record

To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county Indiana the your humble petitioners being citizens of said Dekalb county and Householders and freeholders residents in the vicinity of the location of the Highway prayed for herein, request you to appoint viewers to locate a public highway. Twenty five in number on the following described road to wit. Commencing at the North East corner of Section fourteen (14) in Stafford Township in Dekalb county Indiana and running thence west on the Section line between Section fourteen (14) and Section Eight (8) intersecting at the North West corner of said Section fourteen a road already located running on the West side of said Section fourteen (14) and Eight (8)

Geo. Maughlin	Isaac Diehl	John Mollinger
John Hall	John Humphrey	Daniel Fry
	Jacob Davis	George Mollinger
	Joseph Brown	Daniel Mast
	Benj Mcock	John Lamb
	Henry Dauer	Samuel Miller

The Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county upon due consideration granted the prayer of the Petitioners and appointed Henry Dickhoff, William Seofield and Jacob Mcock viewers

Ordered that the following named persons be allowed the amount set opposite their names for services as jurors in case of Inquest on body of child of Andrew Lang

311 Alex B. Robertson for services as juror 75 cts

312 Washington Deters " " " " 75

313 Samuel Swihart " " " " 75

314 Erastus Mosell " " " " 75

315 Henry Moody " " " " 75

316 Jacob Brooks " " " " 75

317 George Klingin " " " " 75

318 John Kinney " " " " 75

319 Ira Bauer " " " " 75

320 Robert Rogers " " " " 75

321 D Gorsuch " " " " 75

322 Daniel Burns " " " " 75

323 Ordered that the following named persons be each allowed fifty cts for services as witness in the State Inquest Dr A Lawrence Daniel Sullivan Geo. Henry Moody Erastus Mosell A. Keller

March Session

9 day

333 Ordered that M. M. Bell be allowed five dollars for services as Atty in case of Sargent

333 Allowed David W. Olinger one one dollar and Ninety cts for services as constable

334 Allowed John A. Miller two dollars for attending Coroner Quest

335 Allowed George Ramey four dollars and twenty five cts for wood &c.

336 Allowed George Ramey Sixty six dollars and twenty six cts for services as Treasurer of DeKalb county Indiana

337 Allowed G. M. Rose Two Hundred and Eleven dollars for goods furnished families of Vol.

338 Allowed G. M. Rose Eight dollars and five cts for goods furnished poor

339 Allowed B. & Shaffer & Son one Hundred and twenty five dollars and four cents for goods furnished families of Volunteers

340 Ordered that Six dollars be allowed B. & Shaffer & Son for goods furnished poor

341 Ordered that John Childs be allowed be allowed fourteen dollars and thirty cts goods furnished families of Vol.

342 Allowed Alvin Hampton four dollars for flour furnished poor

343 Allowed Alvin Hampton twenty two dollars and fifty cts for flour furnish families of Volunteers

344 Allowed Hamish Munn Five dollars for services as coroner

The Board adjourned to Wednesday Morning March 9. 1864

John Brandon

G. M. Brumbock

Amy Selby

The Board met pursuant to adjournment present same as yesterday

345 Allowed G. M. Rose fifteen dollars for goods furnished Volunteers families

346 Allowed Simon Ochs four dollars and Sixty three cts for articles furnished poor

347 Allowed Simon Ochs Fourteen dollars and twenty five cts for goods furnished families of Volunteers

348 Allowed Aron Wolf fifty dollars and fifty cts for goods furnished families of Volunteers

349 Allowed Abraham Tyson four dollars for Boarding prisoner

350, 351 Ordered that Jeremiah Armstrong George Wolf and Simon McClure be each allowed one dollar for services as road viewers

352 Allowed Dr. H. Hoagg Ninety cts articles furnished poor as per his affi

353 Allowed Reason and Stump twenty one dollars and twenty five cts for testimony

354 Allowed James W. Shaw Ninety seven cts for stationary furnished Sheriff &c.

355 Allowed Hiram Tiger one dollar and fifty cts for Volunteers

356 Allowed M. M. Miller & Eddy for Shoes furnished families of Volunteers

358 Allowed John Dawson fifty one dollars and twenty five cts for
Services Rendered Furnished DeKalb county
359 Allowed W. R. Wilson Three dollars and twenty five cts for Stationary
furnished Clerk
317 Allowed D. W. Medary Two dollars and fifty four cts for Stationary
furnished Recorders Office
360 Allowed W. H. Dodd Nine dollars and twenty cts for Stationary furnished
DeKalb co for Bell

Came now James McClellan Christian Sheets & Phillip Horine viewers heretofore appointed at the Dec. Session to view a road in Butler Township in DeKalb Co. & report as follows to wit.

We the viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 1st day of February 1864 proceed to view and Examine said Road as follows to wit. Running East and West by the Grist Saw Mill in Sec. 26. Township 33. North of Range 11 East in DeKalb county Indiana. (Same mill is now owned by John Stover Jr. and Jacob A. Miller.) The Petitioners ask for an alteration in said Road which alteration is to commence at the center of Sec. 26. in said Township thence East on the South side of the Center line of said Section to the inner line of Section 25 and the width of said Road to be twenty five feet. as described in the order. We Christian Sheets James McClellan and Phillip Horine did view and mark out said road over the viewing & report said Road favorable and of Public utility. Signed by James McClellan Phillip Horine and Christian Sheets

The Board upon due consideration order the above described alteration to be made and established

361 362 Ordered that James McClellan Christian Sheets and Phillip Horine be
363 each allowed one dollar for services as Road viewers

William Lessig and James Barclay came now and report on a road in Richland Township as follows

We the Viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 29th day of January 1864 proceed to view said road as follows to wit. did travel and mark out as the order described commencing at the East line of the South East quarter of Section fifteen Town East to cross the inner half of the South inner quarter of Section fifteen and vacated that portion of the old road that was effected by the new Road as described in the order. We William Lessig and James Barclay did view and mark out said road and on the viewers Report said Road favorable and of Public utility

Signed William Lessig
James Barclay.

And the Board ordered said change to be made and established

3 day

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State of Indiana DeKalb county, ss. Before me E Berry a Justice of the Peace in and for said county personally appeared William Lessig and James Barclay and were duly sworn E. Berry J. P.
The Board upon due consideration grant the attestation and Establish the same and vacate so much of the old road as is effected by the new

3164 Ordered that William Lessig and James Barclay be each allowed one
3165 dollar for services as road viewers

3166 Ordered that Dr. Bo ucher be allowed seven dollars and twenty five cts for Medical attendance at County Asylum

3167 Ordered That John Thomas be allowed twenty five dollars for taking care of Thomas a pauper

3168 Ordered that Booth & co. be allowed twelve dollars and fifty two cts for Sheriff furnished services of Volunteers

Isaac Houtzan Trustee of Wilson Township came into and presents his report of the Receipts and Expenditures of said Township for the year ending March 1st 1865 which report is accepted and and Ordered that Isaac Houtzan be allowed seventy five dollars to be paid out of the Township fund of said Township

To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of said DeKalb county Indiana.
The undersigned viewers appointed at the December Session 1863 of your Honorable body, to view a proposed change or relocation of a part of the road commencing near the point where the road leading from Hamilton in Steuben county Ind. to Auburn in DeKalb county, in the same State crosses the north and South center line of the North West quarter of Section 30. T. 38 N of Ra. 11. East (Franklin) in said county of DeKalb thence South and South easterly into Williamsfield Township in said last mentioned county. have after first being duly sworn. proceeded to view the old road and the road of the proposed relocation or change and finding the proposed new road as good if granted for a public highway and believing that said proposed relocation or change will be of public utility have proceeded to lay out the same for a public highway as follows to wit, commencing at the point where the road leading from Hamilton in Steuben County to Auburn in DeKalb county all in the State of Indiana. crosses the North and South center line of the North West quarter of Section thirty in Town 35. North of Range 11. East in said county of DeKalb thence South on said line between lands owned by C. Watkins and Samuel Davis to the South line of said quarter Section thence South Seventy links of Station until it intersects the road of the old road and there to terminate. said new road crossed to be the same width of the old road to wit. forty feet and to be bounded a like on each side of the above described line. for the proposed relocation or change running Southerly

Tennessee. and distant thereupon twenty feet said relocation or change is 74 Rods long.
And we recommend that the proper portion of the old road be vacated said relocation or change was viewed on this the 28th day of March 1864.
Signed by Benjamin Brandaberry
George Brick
3/30 minutes

The Board upon due consideration establish such change as is set forth in foregoing report and vacate such portion as is effected by such change
Ordered that Benjamin Brandaberry and George Brick be each allowed
4/58 one dollar for services on road viewers and
4/59 Allowed George Wolf one dollar for making report of the above report
4/60

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county and State of Louisiana that Frederick Buse is now and will hereafter be discharged from paying poll Tax

Ordered by the Board that John H Lautzenheiser be and is hereafter discharged from paying Poll Tax

Ordered that Isaac Shinn be and is hereafter discharged from paying Poll Poll Tax

James McClellan John Brube and Christian Sheets come now and make report on the following described road commencing at the Township line between Union and Wilmington Township on the center line of Sec. 36. in Union thence North on the center line of Sec. 36 until it strikes the road leading from Auburn to Merrill near the center of Sec. 36
when upon a remonstrance was presented against the location of said road and James H. Keeper a Commissioner objected to the name of some of the petitioners on the Original Petition as not being free holders or Slaves holders and the original Petition being lost and could not be found. Whereupon the Board of commissioners of said county set aside the whole proceedings in reference to said road

3/60. 3/6 Ordered that James McClellan John Brube and Christian Sheets be
3/11 each allowed one dollar for services as road viewers
And the Board of Com. adjourned to Thursday Morning March 10. 1864

Jno Brandaberry
J. H. Brumbach
Amzi Seely

March Session

March 10 1864

A day. The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county and State of Indiana met pursuant to adjournment March 10. 1864. present same as yesterday. The Board of Commissioners upon motion proceeded to the county Asylum for the purpose of taking an inventory of the goods and chattels belonging thereto and to inspect the premises generally

Freeman Kelly. Trustee of Smithfield Township came in and presents his report of said Township of the Receipts and Expenditures of said Township for the year ending March 1st 1864.
The Board upon due consideration accept the Report and
Ordered that Freeman Kelly be allowed Forty Eight dollars and for services as Trustee of said Township to be paid out of the Township fund

The Trustees of the several Townships in DeKalb county came in and make their report and recommend the following Taxes to be levied in the several Townships of said county and the Board upon due consideration ordered the following taxes to be levied in the Townships in said county

Butler Township for	Township purposes	on each	$ 100.	Valuation
" " "	Road "	15	"	"	"	" $ 1¾ on
Jackson " "	Township - $ 85.					
" " "	Road "	15 cts	"	"	"	" $ 1¾ on each acre
" " "	Special "	25 cts	"	"	"	$ 50 cts on poll
Concord " "	Township "	6	"	"	"	"
" " "	Special "	25	"	"	"	" $ poll 50 cts
" " "	Road "	15	"	"	"	" $ 1½ cts per acre
Newville " "	Township "	$ 75				
" " "	Special "	25	"	"	"	" $ poll 50 cts
" " "	Road "	15	"	"	"	" $ 1¾ per acre
Stafford " "	Township "	$ 75				
" " "	Road "	15	"	"	"	1¾ per acre
Wilmington " "	Township "	$ 75				
" " "	Road "	15	"	"	"	1¾ per Acre
" " "	Special "	25	"	"	"	$ 50 poll
Union Tp " "	Township "	$ 100.				
" " "	Road "	15	"	"	"	$ 1¾ per Acre
" " "	Special "	25	"	"	"	$ poll 50 cts
Fairfield " "	Township -	150 $				
" " "	Special "	25	"	"	"	$ poll 50. cts
" " "	Road "	15	"	"	"	$ 1¾ per Acre
Smithfield " "	Township -	$ 100.	"	"	"	
" " "	Special	25 cts	"	"	"	$ poll 50 cts
" " "	Road	15	"	"	"	$ 1¾ per Acre
Auburn Township	Special	25	"	"	"	$ 50 cts poll

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Deerfield twp. for Township purposes $ 75
" " Special " 25 cts on each $100. Val. & 50 cts poll
" " Road " 15 " " " " " " 1½ per Acre
Franklin " Township " $ 75 " " "
" " Special " 25 " " " " " " 50 cts poll
" " Road " 15 " " " " " " 1½ per Acre
Bray " Township " $ 75
" " Special " 25 " " " " " " & poll 50 cts
" " Road " 15 " " " " " " & 1½ cts per Acre

The Board adjourned to Friday Morning

John Brandon
J M Brumbock
Anny Seely

The Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county met pursuant to last
adjournment present as yesterday
The Board now proceed to select Jurors in the manner specified
by Law to serve as Grand Jurors at the April Term of the Circuit
county Circuit Court. 1864 Whereupon the Clerk of Circuit Court of
said county drew in the presence of the Board twelve names of persons
to serve as Grand Jurors at the April Term of Circuit Court of said Co

William Brown	Wilmington	Francis	Baird	Marion	
D B Mossman	Franklin	Henry	Lewis	Newville	
Abraham Bess	Fairfield	Samuel	Mellen	Stafford	
William Clark	Deerfield	Jacob	Dale	Concord	
John Rench	Bray	Jacob	Meaner	Jackson	
Daniel Lentz	Richland	David	Hoffman	Butler	

And in manner as aforesaid drew the Board of Com. with the Clerk of
said County proceeded to select twelve persons to serve as Grand
Jurors at the Ap Term 1864 of said Court.

Jonathan Brumbaugh	Bray	Jacob B Boardman	Richland		
Daniels Cheesman	Deerfield	Isaac Hostetter	Marion		
Wm Lewis	Newville	James McClellan	Jackson		
Nathan Wyatt	Wilmington	Jacob Cook	Stafford		
John Shutt	Concord	Thomas M Meaney	Franklin		
David M Nabb	Deerfield				
David Lentz	Butler				

March Session

March 11 1840

Clerks Ordered that John N. Miller be allowed one dollar and Eighty cts to Boarding
transient pauper and sending same out of county to Ft Wayne

378 Allowed John N Miller 50 cts for committing Stephen Lewis to Jail

379 Allowed John N. Miller County dollar for services Extra as Sheriff of DeKalb co

380 Allowed John N. Miller twelve dollars and fifty Eight cts for services as
Sheriff of DeKalb county in waiting Road Viewers and Township Supervisors

378 Ordered that Samuel M. Galston be allowed Thirty two dollars and Thirty two cents
for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per Bill on file

377 Ordered that John Galston be allowed be allowed Nine dollars and Eighty Nine cts
for Stationary and other articles furnished Clerks office of DeKalb county Indiana

398 Ordered that John Galston Clerk of Circuit court of said county be allowed twenty five
dollars for Extra services as Clerk of said county of DeKalb county

379 Ordered by the Board that Joseph Steigel & Co be allowed Eighty four
dollars and forty two cts for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per Bills
on file in the Auditors Office

380 Ordered that that Joseph Steigel & Co be allowed twenty dollars and twenty five cts
goods furnished poor

381 Ordered that Joseph Steigel & Co be allowed fifty three dollars and one cent
goods furnished for County Asylum as per Bill on file

382 Ordered that A Wolf be allowed twenty four dollars and Ninety five
cts for materials furnished the DeKalb county Asylum as per Bill on file

383 Ordered that Emanuel Colpetzer be allowed Nineteen dollars and Thirty
cents for groceries furnished DeKalb County Asylum as per Bill on file

384 Ordered that fifty eight Dollars and Ninety cents be allowed to Joseph C.
Loveland for publishing the Delinquent &c as per Bill on file

385 Ordered that A. D. Pennington be allowed Eight dollars for Medical attendance
on families of Volunteers as

John N Miller Commissioner of the Town of Auburn come now and presents his
report of the receipts and Disbursements of the Town of Auburn
which report is received by the Board of Commissioners of said DeKalls co &
Ordered that John N Miller be allowed Thirty two dollars and
fifty cts for services as Trustee of Auburn to be paid out of the
Special School Fund of said Town

Ordered that D. M. Galston be allowed Forty two dollars and two cts
for goods furnished DeKalb County Asylum

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Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb co. that Eight Hundred dollars in said county Orders be issued to Dixon and Wheelock on the contract for Building New Court House said amount to be issued immediately after the adjournment of this Board

414 Eight Hundred dollars on the first of April 1864. and
409 one Thousand dollars on the first day of May 1864 said orders to be issued and said sum to the said Dixon & Wheelock under the supervision of John Brandon Superintendent of the Building said New Court House

388 Ordered that Ed. Eldredge be allowed Five dollars and Seventy five for Liquor furnished DeKalb County Asylum as per Bill on file

389 Ordered that Adams Knott be allowed seven dollars for services as or for Medicines furnished DeKalb county Asylum

390 Allowed Adams Knott Fifty eight dollars and seventy five cts for services as Superintendent of DeKalb county Asylum

391 Ordered that Isaac Timberlake allowed Thirteen dollars and fifty cts for said wheat furnished DeKalb co Farm

392 Ordered that Thomas Finny be allowed Five dollars and fifty five cts for Blacksmithing done for DeKalb county Farm

393 Ordered that Michael Reeves be allowed Seventy five dollars and forty cts for corn furnished County Asylum

And Board adjourned to Saturday Morning March 12. 1864

John Brandon
Jas. M. Brumbach
Amzi Seely

Board met pursuant to adjournment present same as heretofore at this session

394 Ordered that Reason and Spring be allowed twenty three dollars for Prisoners furnished DeKalb county in Jail

395 Ordered that J. M. Brumbach be allowed four dollars for Sick to Dal. families

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county that A Lawman be and is hereby appointed Physician to attend the inmates of the DeKalb county Asylum

396 Ordered that A. Lawman Ninety five cts be allowed for articles furnished DeKalb County Farm as per Bill on file

397 Ordered that Isaac Henry wife of George Henry twenty four dollars for Services

398 Allowed Mrs. Nicholas one fifty four cts for goods furnished families of Volunteers

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311 Ordered That James D. McSwalley be allowed Forty dollars for Subsistence furnished
312 Recruits for Enrolling Volunteers

3[illegible] Ordered that Joseph L. Sams be allowed Nineteen dollars and twelve cts for materials furnished County Asylum
Ordered by the Board of Commissioners that Lewis Effinger be and is hereby appointed Surveyor of DeKalb county for the present unexpired Term of said office. or until his Successor is Elected and qualified
Ordered that John Brandon J. M. Brumbock and Amzi Seeby be each allowed Eighteen dollars for Services as Commissioners of DeKalb county Court

319 Ordered that John N Allen be allowed twelve dollars for Services as Sheriff of DeKalb co. in attending the Board of Commissioners' Court.

Ordered that George Bowlman be allowed Six dollars and Eighty cents for materials furnished Auditors office
Ordered That George Bowlman be allowed two Hundred and Fifty nine dollars and Fifty two cts for Services as Asst.
The Board adjourned to the session in course

John Brandon
J. M. Brumbock
Amzi Seeby

Vacation

Do Sheriff and Auditors certificate of the sale of Land

State of Indiana }
DeKalb County } ss

Whereas default has been made in the payment of Interest on Loan numbered Sixteen (16) congressional School fund of Union Township said County and State in consequence of which default the Principal Sum became due and payable. Thereupon George Hershman Auditor in and for said DeKalb county Indiana did cause the same to be advertised in the Auburn Daily Dispatch a news paper published in said County for three weeks successively previous to the day of sale, in these words.

Notice is hereby given that I will offer at Public Sale the following described tract of Land or so much thereof as will pay the amount due thereon for principal interest damages & Costs accruing thereon at the door of the Court House in Auburn DeKalb county Indiana, on Saturday the 26th day of March 1864 between the hours of twelve and one O'clock P.M. to wit. The North West fractional quarter of the North West quarter of Section No 15 Thirteen in Township Thirty four (34) North of Range Thirteen (13) East in Union Township DeKalb County Indiana. Said land having been mortgaged to the State State of Indiana by William Arthur and and Rachel Arthur to secure the payment of No 16 Congressional School fund of Union Township in said county and upon default of the payment of interest having been made the principal sum has become due and payable. The amount due on the day of sale including principal interest, damages and costs will amount to $ 13.17.75

George Hershman Auditor of DeKalb county Indiana in accordance with the above notice. the Auditor of said county did at the door of the Court House aforesaid in the presence of George Barney Jr assembled in and for said county upon the 26th day of March A.D. 1864 between the hours of 12 & 1 O'Clock P.M. offer for sale the above described land and there being no person present who would take a less amount than the whole of said land and pay the amount due for principal interest damages and Costs due thereon.

Whereupon George Hershman County Auditor in and for said county of DeKalb and State of Indiana did at the door of the Court House aforesaid in the presence of the assembly aforesaid then and there offer to sell to Abraham G. Swank of DeKalb County Indiana for the sum of one Hundred and Twenty five and 75/ dollars. the North West quarter of the North West quarter of Section 15 in Township Thirty four N. North of Range Thirteen (13) East in DeKalb county Indiana he being the highest bidder in Cash for said land

State of Indiana }
DeKalb County } ss I the undersigned County Auditor and

Petition

Treasurer of DeKalb county Ind. do hereby certify that the foregoing statement is true in substance and in fact. Given under our hands and seals at Auburn said county this 26th day of March A.D. 1864

George Banning (S)
Treasurer of DeKalb co. Ind
Geo. Hollinger
Auditor of DeKalb co. Ind.

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Decd.

Auditor DeKalb co to Wm. & Rachel Arthur Ind. Deed

This indenture witnesseth that on the Eighteenth day of September 1863 William Arthur and Rachel Arthur Mortgaged to the State of Indiana the following described Land to wit: The North West fractional quarter of the North West quarter of Section No Thirteen (13) in Township thirty four (34) North of Range No Thirteen East in DeKalb county county and State of Indiana to secure the principal and interest on Loan No 14 of Union Township Congressional School fund, in the county and State aforesaid, and Whereas default has been made in the payment of Interest in consequence of which the principal became due and payable. And Whereas the Auditor of said County of DeKalb did advertise said Real Estate for sale on Saturday the 2nd day of March 1864 at the of the court house in Auburn DeKalb County Indiana in the Waterloo Leader a Weekly News paper published in said county for three weeks successively and immediately previous to the day of sale and also by Notice put up at the door of the Court house and in three public places in the Township where said land lies for the payment of said Mortgage Interest damages and costs accruing thereon.

And Whereas George Hollinger Auditor of said county did on the twenty fifth day of March 1864 at the door of the court House in Auburn in said county in the presence of George Banning Treasurer of said county offer the above described premises for sale to satisfy said Mortgage with the interest damages and cost due thereon and there being no person present should take a less amount than the whole of said land and pay the amount due for principal Interest damages and cost due thereon. Therefore Geo. Hollinger Auditor of said county did at the door of the Court the court House in Auburn in the presence of the Treasurer of said county and at the time aforesaid sell to Rachel Arthur of DeKalb county Indiana for the sum of one Hundred and Eighteen dollars and seventy five cts. The North West fractional quarter of the North West quarter of Section Thirteen (13) Township Thirty four (34) North of Range Thirteen (13) East in DeKalb county and State of Indiana he being highest and best bidder in cash for said land.

Now Therefore I Geo. Hollinger Auditor of said county in

Vacation

DeKalb in the State of Indiana in consideration of the foregoing premises in the name of the inhabitants of Congressional Township No Thirty four North of Range 13. East grant bargain sell and convey unto the said Reuben L Lent all of the North West fract. of the North West quarter of Section Thirteen (13) Township Thirty four North of Range Thirteen (13) East.

To have and to hold said parcel of Land with the appurtenances thereunto belonging his heirs and assigns forever in as full and ample manner as the said Auditor of said county is empowered by law to sell the same.

In Testimony whereof the said Geo. K Ullman Auditor of DeKalb county has hereunto set his hand and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said county

This 16th day of April A.D. 1864

George K Ullman

Auditor DeKalb county

Seal

April 16 1864 Lent

April 16 1864 Lent

April 16. 1864 Lent

April 16 1864 Lent

April 16 1864 Lent

State of Indiana }
DeKalb county } ss

Personally appeared before me Geo. Rabstaw Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for said county George K Ullman Auditor in and for DeKalb County and acknowledged the execution of the above Deed

April 16. A.D. 1864

Geo Rabstaw Clerk

Seal

S Crill Prosecuting Attorney of District Record order for Thirty seven dollars and Seventy five cts for services as Prosecutor this to March 4. 1864.

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June 6 1894

The Board of Commissioners of Pulaski county Indiana met in pursuance of law June 6th 1894 present John Brenton Pres. Wm. Barnhart and Jacob Daly Commissioners John A Miller Sheriff and Wm Lindeman Exc. Clerk of the Board

The Board of Equalization for the assessment of Personal Property of Pulaski Co. met. present John Brenton Pres Wm. Barnhart and Jacob Daly Commissioners and John Krube Michael Dilbey Wm Lawrence Daniel Chapman Thos M. Duncan Simon Bird John Miller John Reinacht. James Cotton. Elihu Dell Daniel McNisley

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Pulaski county that the following named persons be allowed the amounts set opposite their names for personal assessments of the Assessor of Pulaski county. Daniel D. McNisely $22.50 Wm Lawrence $31.00 Elihu Dell $46.50 Michael Dilbey $46.50 G.D. Bird $46.50 John Miller $45.00 John Reinacht $45.00 John Krube $43.00 Daniel Chapman $53.50 Wm M. Duncan $52.50 James Cotton $21.00

Comes now Ralph Beck and presents his petition for license to retail Spirituous Liquors, and the Board of Commissioners of Pulaski County being satisfied that said petitioner is a legal voter and that the said petitioner is a person of good moral character and that the said petitioner is duly qualified to retail liquors it therefore ordered by the Board of Commissioners that license be granted to Ralph Beck to sell Spirituous liquors and malt liquors in less quantities than a quart at the house situate on Lot No 5 in Bringerts addition to Town of Culver Pulaski county Indiana for one year from the date hereof

Comes now John Beck and presents his petition for license to sell Spirituous liquors and malt liquors to the Board of Commissioners and the Board being satisfied that proper and legal Notice was given and that petitioner is a proper and legal voter and Ordered that proper and legal license be granted to John Beck to sell Spirituous liquors and malt liquors in less quantities than a quart at the house situate on Lot No 6 in Bringerts addition to Town of Culver Pulaski county Indiana License to be granted for one year from the date hereof

Comes now Ephraim Rhetsel and presents his petition for license to retail intoxicating liquors in less quantities than a quart at his house and his proof that proper and legal notice of the same had been given according to law and the Board of Commissioners being satisfied that said notice had been given according to law, and that said Ephraim

Whitsell is a fit person to be trusted with license to retail intoxicating liquors in less quantity than a quart at a time and a person of good moral character, it is therefore ordered by said Board of Commissioners that proper and legal license be issued to said Abraham Whitsell to retail intoxicating liquors as aforesaid on Lot number forty three (43) in the town of Waterloo city in DeKalb county Indiana in the grocery store building on said lot for the term of one year from the issuing thereof upon said Whitsell executing his bond according to law.

The Board of Equalization for the assessment of Real Estate in DeKalb County met pursuant to law and was composed of John Brandon J. M. Brumback and Amzi Selby Commissioners and William Matthews Clerk of Hoffman and Nathan Wright Esquires Robert Culbertson David Rager Daniel Hoffman

The Board adjourned to Tuesday Morning

John Brandon
J. M. Brumback
Amzi Selby

The Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment present John Brandon J. M. Brumback and Amzi Selby Commissioners and William Matthews Clerk of Board Nathan Wright Esquire Robert Culbertson Samuel Hauser David Rager Daniel Hoffman and Wm Hoffman Sheriff of Board

It is ordered by the Board that the Real Estate of John C. Crum be on the appraisement thereon be reduced twenty five dollars

Ordered by the Equalization Board that the Appraisement of Real Estate in Jackson Township owned by John Brandon be reduced twenty five dollars

Ordered by the Board that the Real Estate owned by Isaac C. Culbertson in Jackson Township be assessed in value twenty five dollars

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county and the Assessor of said county that the Assessment of Real Estate in Jefferson Township owned by William Reichenrich be increased four Hundred dollars

The Board adjourned until to morrow morning

Signed by the Board

Wm. J. Atkins
C. C. Huffman
James Culbertson
Robert Culbertson
Samuel Hauser

David Rager

John Brandon
J. M. Brumback
Amzi Selby

June Session June 4 1861

The Board of Equalization & Valuation of Real Estate in Pike county met in pursuance of the Law. Present. Wm. H. Brubaker Assr. Levi Lowe & William Matthias Esqrs. Jacob Hoffman Assessor Jackson Purcell Constable and Peter Miller Sheriff and Wm. Hartman Auditor

Ordered by the Board that the Appraisment of Real Estate owned by D. B. Neal in Dingman Township be reduced one Thousand and twenty dollars

Ordered that the Appraisment of Real Estate owned by Wm. Brandt in Dingman be raised one Thousand dollars

Ordered that the appraisment of the Real Estate owned by Joseph D. Dawes in Dingman be raised fifty dollars

Ordered by the Board that the Appraisment of the Real Estate owned by John Brandon in Delaware Township be reduced Eighty dollars

Ordered by the Board that the Appraisment of the Real Estate owned by John N. Miller in Porter Township be reduced twenty five dollars

Ordered by the Board that the Appraisment of the Real Estate owned by A. Harris be reduced fifty dollars

Ordered by the Board that the Appraisment of the Real Estate owned by Isaac Gallow in Franklin Township be reduced twenty five dollars

Ordered by the Board that the Appraisment of the Real Estate owned by Conrad Klauss be reduced One Thousand and twenty dollars

Ordered by the Board that the Appraisment of Real Estate owned by Jacob Overbaugh Weaver in Lehman Township be reduced one hundred and twenty dollars

Ordered by the Board that the Appraisment of Real Estate owned by the Heirs of Solomon Shoemaker be reduced two Hundred and one dollars

Ordered by the Board that the Appraisment of Real Estate owned by the following named persons be raised as follows viz. Mr Hutchins $60. Fifty dollars Daniel Smith One Thousand dollars Joshua Brodhead Three Thousand dollars Estate Adam Miller Eighty dollars D. D. Two Thousand and Fifty four dollars

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners Real Estate appraisers of said county that $1. One and Fifty dollars be added to the appraisment of Real Estate owned by the Estate of Wm. Richards Deceased

Ordered by the Board that the Appraisement of Real Estate owned by the following named persons be raised as follows. Abraham Buss twenty nine dollars
+ Martin Saylor one Hundred and Fourteen dollars Cornelius Vest
one Hundred and twenty two dollars Henry John G. Twenty seven dollars
Samuel Ernest one Hundred and fifty seven dollars
John McCullough two Hundred and forty dollars and David
Buchanan two Hundred dollars
The Board adjourned

Wm. Watkins — John Blandon
E. K. Hoffman — Jos. Brumback
James Cather — Amos Seely
Samuel Hower — David Razer
Robert Culbertson

The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county met in pursuance of adjournment present John Blandon Jos. M. Brumback and Amos Seely Commissioners and John M Miller Sheriff and Geo. Hoffman Aud.

Come now James Stafford and presents his petition for license to sell intoxicating liquors in less quantities than a quart and the Board being satisfied that proper and legal notice was given and made the said Stafford is a proper person to retail liquors it is therefore ordered that License be granted to James Stafford to sell intoxicating liquors in less quantities than a quart in the premises occupied by him situated on Lot No 94 in Auburn DeKalb county Indiana for the term of one year from the date hereof

617 Ordered that Geo. D. McElwain be allowed Eighty two dollars for services as Real Estate Appraiser of DeKalb county
Ordered by the Board that Samuel Hower be allowed one Hundred twelve dollars for services as Real Estate Appraiser
Ordered by the Board of Commissioners that James Cather be allowed one Hundred and two dollars for services as Real Estate Appraiser of DeKalb county Indiana

Ordered that Hower Hower be allowed Fifty five dollars for services as Real Estate Appraiser of Smithfield Township

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county That David Razer be allowed one Hundred and Twelve dollars for services as Real Estate Appraiser of Richland and Smithfield Townships

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Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county Indiana That William Mattoon be allowed one Hundred and Forty two dollars and Ninety cents for services as as Real Estate Appraiser of Dekalb county

Ordered that Robert Culbertson be allowed Fifty six dollars for services as Real Estate appraiser appraiser of Concord Township

A Petition for the location of a Road in Union Township is now presented to the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county which is in words and figures as follows to wit

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county in the State of Indiana June Session 1863 The undersigned freeholders of Dekalb county aforesaid Respectfully Petition your Honorable Board to locate the following described road Viz. Commencing at the center of the State road running from Auburn to Newville in said county thence Section Forty Six at a point where it crosses the dean line between the lands owned by Merrick Chapman and Jesse Pelton. Thence running South on said line through the lands owned by Merrick Chapman James Cooper Russel Chadock Duncan D. Savage and John R. Woodhamper all in Union Township Dekalb county containing South on said line through the lands belonging to Daniel South Cheague and Phillip Cobler and John Cobler in Sec. No 1. in Jackson Township in said County till it intersects a road in said Jackson Township on the same line And the Board of Commissioners of said county being Satisfied that legal notice was given upon the petition granted the prayer of the petitioners and appointed Samuel Dunbar Alexander Cranston and Washington Peters Viewers of the above described road.

A Petition for a Road from Smithfield to Greenville to be presented to the Board of Commissioners of said county, which is in these words and figures to wit.

November 2d. 1863

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county Indiana We the undersigned ask your Honorable Board to view and allow a Road to view and lay out a Road commencing at the North West corner of the South East Quarter of Section Eleven (11) Township Thirty Nine North of Range 15. East Thence due running South on the center line of Section Eleven and Fourteen 14 to the center of M. thence west on the center line till it intersects with the Road running from Angola to Greenville Thence [illegible] Center Road Smithfield Thence to Greenville Thence South Thence East [illegible] Thence North [illegible] Thence [illegible] Samuel Dunbar [illegible] Thence North [illegible] Thence [illegible] Thence [illegible] Attorney and others

April Session

The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county being satisfied that proper and legal Notice was given upon due consideration granted the prayers of the Petitioners and appointed Jacob M. Entrekin Jeremiah Plum and Lee Stevenson

a Petition for a Road in Grant Township DeKalb county is presented to the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana which is in words and figures as follows to wit.

To the commissioners of DeKalb county. We the undersigned citizens and freeholders of said county and State of Indiana Petitioners upon Reasonable Body of your Petitioners pray that a Highway as follows to wit.

commencing at the North West corner of Section 29 in Grant Township DeKalb county Indiana and running East on said Section line through lands owned by Andrew D Gardner Wood Ditch and the Lots of James Gardner until it strikes the East Bank of Fish Creek and intersects the Road running East and West on said Section line in Grant Township DeKalb county Indiana signed by J.J. Hilgendorf John A. Moore. Samuel Bennett Wm D. Martin Wm. M. Mastall M. Thomas M. Reed James Mulligan A.C. Lamming Lewis Moore J.D. Madden W. M. Ball William R. Eminson Joseph D. Ball Solomon Hanisely

The Board being satisfied that proper and legal Notice was given upon due consideration granted the prayers of the Petitioners and appointed William R. Eminson Jesse M. Norford and John Cumming Road Viewers on the above described Road

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county that James M. Stevenson be and hereby is discharged from viewing on the Road

Comes now Edward Litchfield William J. Deville and Jacob Cleaver the viewers heretofore appointed in Stafford Township as adjoining as follows

Stafford Town Ship Sept 10. 1841

We the viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 10 day of Sept 1841 proceed to view a proposed Highway said Road as follows to wit commencing at North East corner Section number (17) in Stafford Township in DeKalb county Indiana and running Town West on the Section line between Section number (17) and note. Eight (8) intersecting at the North West corner of said Section a Road already located running on the West side of said Section to and Eight (8) as described in the order the said Edward Litchfield William J. Deville and Jacob Cleaver Side view and we the viewers aforesaid think Road unfavorable to the public utility signed Edward Litchfield Jacob Cleaver

William J. Deville

June Session

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county that
696 Wm Dilchiff be allowed two dollars and William Dennis and Jacob Hecock
697 698 each one dollars for services as Road viewers

699 Ordered that Henry Bonny be allowed fifty six dollars and fifty cents for services as
Treasurer of DeKalb County

700 Allowed Samuel Cleary twenty two dollars and fifty cts for Boarding Henry
Ross Brant a pauper

701 Allowed Henry Mintz Seven dollars for goods furnished families of Volunteers

702 Allowed J. R. Downing twenty two dollars for goods furnished families of Vol.
703 Allowed Dr. Vaughn four dollars Medical attendance on pauper
704 Allowed John Zimmerman Twenty nine dollars and sixty one cts for
flour furnished families of Volunteers

705 Allowed J. S. Sherwood Eight dollars and forty three cts for goods furnished
families of Volunteers

Ordered by the Board that Jonathan Draper be allowed forty dollars and fifty
cents for services as Township Assessor

A Petition was presented to the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County
praying for a Road in Smithfield Township which is in words and
figures to wit.

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana
We undersigned freeholders of said county six of whom reside in the immediately
neighborhood of the Highway hereafter described respectfully
petition said Board of Commissioners for the location of a highway
Commencing at the quarter post on the north line of section Twenty (20)
in Township Forty Nine North of Range Thirteen East in DeKalb County
in the State of Indiana and running thence east on the quarter lines
through sections twenty and twenty one of said Township and County
to the quarter post on the East line of said section twenty one passing through
lands owned and occupied by Lewis Boner John Zimmerman Moses
Eastwood Jonathan Draper Jonathan Draper John Ezell George Mantz
Henry Neeb Emanuel D Shoemaker Elisha Hecock Samuel Hecock
Daniel Hecock Enoch Hecock. And your petitioners ask that said
proposed highway be forty feet wide Signed by Jonathan Draper

William Neeb	Jacob Draper	John Zimmerman
A. J. Pate	John Ezell	Lewis Boner
Henry Neeb	John M Enoch	A Sherwood
Nicholas Ehling	William Neeb	Samuel Hecock
Simon D Fox	Simon Neeb	Enoch Hecock

1864

4 day

June Session June 6 1864

The Board upon due consideration after being satisfied that proper and legal notice was given granted the prayer of the petitioners and appointed Isaac Fentzen John Davis and Jesima J Hallman viewers

650 Ordered that William Wallace be allowed five dollars for repairing Court House as per Bill on file

651 Ordered that the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county Ind pay Plumer ex allowed one dollar for services attending on Indenture

652 Ordered that D. D. Dibble be allowed twenty three dollars for Boarding Families of Volunteers

653 Ordered that John Stevens be allowed twenty five dollars for Burying Peter Thomas a pauper

654 Ordered that Isaac Stone be allowed one thousand Eighty two dollars for Boarding paupers at County Asylum

Treasurers office Auburn
Dekalb County Indiana June 6. 1864

To the Hon. Board of Com. of Dekalb County Indiana

Pursuant to law I herewith submit my annual report of the condition of the Common and Congressional School funds of said County for the year ending June 6. 1864

Congressional School Fund

By Cash on hand June Report 1863	373	82
Paid in on loans during year	1076	27
Total amount Received	1344	09
Paid to Township as follows		
" " Butler Township.	249	50
" " Jackson "	43	46
" " Concord "	16	63
" " Newville "	59	40
" " Stafford "	30	84
" " Wilmington "	8	47
" " Union "	173	97
" " Richland "	12	70
" " Fairfield "	103	97
" " Smithfield "	79	59
" " Troy "	75	62
Total amount paid out	848	85
Amount in Treasury June 6 1864	495	24

Dekalb June 7 1864

To the Board of Com'rs and Town Trustees

Amount in Treasury at June Report 1863	8[illegible]
" paid during year	167 -
Total amount Received	185 7[illegible]
Amount paid out	
To Treasurer of State Oct 1863	5[illegible]
" " " April 1864	1130 [illegible]
" Amount refunded to sundry persons	25 [illegible]
" paid out	1768 51
Common and Congressional Principal	
Amount in Treasury at June Report 1863	1651 [illegible]
paid in during year	5521 5[illegible]
Total amount Received	7174 51
Amount paid out on orders	5540 5[illegible]
Balance in Treasury June 6 1864	1635 94
Common School Revenue for	
Common School Revenue for Tuition	
Amount in Treasury June 1st 1863	3806 74
" Revenue of Dog tax of State	7259 57
Total amount Received	11066 31
Amount paid Township Trustees	7635 97
" in Treasury June 6 1864	3430 34
Recapitulation of School funds	
Amount of Congressional Fund in Treasury	495 34
Common & Surplus Fund Int	148 25
Common and Congressional Principal	1635 99
Common School Revenue for Tuition	3430 34
Total amount in Treasury June 6 1864	5709 84

George Bamert
Treasurer Dekalb county
State
of Indiana

Jno. Dixon

Statement of the Receipts and Expenditures of Dixon county for the year ending June 6. 1864 Also cash in Treasury at the date of same Report 1863 the following sums to wit.

	County Revenue	435 83
	Township Revenue	15 62
	Road	20
	Special School Revenue	873 47
	Redemption of Land	45 50
	Surveyors fee	24 47
	Total amount in Treasury	1527 69
	Deduct Road Revenue not drawn	23 16
	Amount in Treasury June 1st 1863	1507 53
	Received during the year of County Funds	16217 36
	" " " " Township Revenue	1369 95
	" " " " Road "	5991 98
	" " " " Special School "	6288 78
	" " " " Municipal "	205 01
	" " " " Agricultural "	20 00
	" " " " Surveyors fee	31 14
	" " " " Redemption of Land	285 30
	Total Amount Collected during year	31917 00
	Expenditures orders Redeemed	
	County " "	14575 24
	Township " "	1510 96
	Road " "	5969 94
	Special School " "	7231 68
	Municipal " "	205 01
	Surveyors fee " "	55 98
	Redemption of Land " "	327 61
	Agricultural fund	20 00
	Total Expenditures	29896 42
	Total amount of Revenue for 1863	319 17 00
	" " " " " "	29896 42
	" " Orders Redeemed	2020 58
	Cash in Treasury June 6. 1864	
	County Revenue	
	Balance in Treasury June 1st 1863	436 83
	Collected during year	16217 36
	Total Revenue for the year	16654 19
	Amount of Orders Redeemed	14575 24
	Balance in Treasury June 6	2078 95

Grand Division — June 10. 1864

Township Revenue

Balance in Treasury June 1st 1863	15. 00
Collected during the year	1306 95
Total Revenue for the year	1521 5
Orders Redeemed	1510 96
In Treasury June 6. 1864	10 61

Road Revenue

Due Treasury June 1st 1863	20
Collected during during the year	5991 90
Total Revenue	5992 10
Deduct amount over drawn in 1862	23 14
Leave total revenue for 1863	5969 96
Deduct orders redeemed	5969 96

Special School Revenue

Due Treasury June 1st 1863	870.69
Collected during the year	6288 78
Total Revenue	7159.47
Orders Redeemed	7231.68
Over drawn June 1st 1864	72 23

Municipal Revenue

Collected during the year	205.01
Paid out on Orders	205 01

Surveyors Fees

Due Treasury June 1st 1864	24 87
Collected during the year	31 14
Total Revenue	56 01
Orders Redeemed	55. 78
Due Treasury June 6 1864	23

Interest Fund

Amount Collected during year	20 08
Amount of Orders Redeemed	20 08

June Session

Redemption of Land

Co. Treasury June 11 1863		4 30
Received during the year		333 21
Total amount		337 51
Amount of Orders Redeemed		
in Treasury June 6. 1864		3 00

State Funds

Amount Received of Clerk of Cass Docket fee		61 00
paid Treasury of State		61 00

Recapitulation

Balance on Co. Revenue		2078 95
" Township Revenue		10 00
" Road Revenue		20 00
Balance on Surveyors		03
" Redemption of Land		3 00
Total amount		2097 81
Deduct Special Revenue com drawn		72 23
Co. Treasury June 6. 1864		2025 58

Account of Sales of County Bonds

Amount of Recovered of Co. Auditor		5434 01
Sold to Sundry Persons		2834 01
Bonds on Hands		2600 00

Amount of Bonds Sold		2834 01
Orders Redeemed	3700. 01	
Amount paid for Interest	13 80	
" Discount on Bonds	104 00	3817 80
Total Balance in Treasury		16.20

Cass was William Smith and Francis his Surety

DeKalb County 1864

Auditor's report Autumn term 1864

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana. In pursuance of law the Auditor of said county herewith submits his annual report of the receipts and expenditures of of DeKalb county for the year ending June 1st 1864

Revenue Collected

Amount of Receipts of Redemption of Lands	330	63
" " " Municipal Tax	205	01
" " " Road Revenue	5991	90
" " " Township "	138	54
" " " Surveyor's fees	55	78
" " " Agricultural fund	20	00
" " " County Revenue	1621	56
" " " Docket fees	51	00
" " " Special School Revenue	628	78
total amount of receipts	3054	22

Orders drawn during year

Amount of orders issued for Redemption of Lands	330	43
" " " " Municipal Tax	205	01
" " " " Road Revenue	5991	84
" " " " Surveyors fees	55	98
" " " " Agricultural fund	21	10
" " " " Township Revenue	1369	94
" " " " Special School Revenue	6361	01
" " " " Docket fees	51	00
" " " " County funds	26933	64
total	41308	90

Recapitulation

Total Amount of orders issued during year	41308	90
" " available funds	30541	22
Less	10767	68
to which add Orders outstanding June 1st 1863	762	93
leaves orders outstanding June 1st 1864	11530	61

Third Division 1841

1 day

Amount of orders issued for the Funds

Assessing Revenue	2 5 - 1
Expense of Poor	4 4 3 75
Volunteers families	3 5 7 5 2 -
County Officers Salary	2 1 2 8 12
Expense of Bridges	4 3 4 17
Roads	1 0 7 5 -
Specific Allowances	3 6 8 03
Expense of County	12 7 0 75
Jurors	5 5 70
Printing	1 2 65
Illegal tax Refunded	5 1 67
Money loaned the county	6 5 8 7 32
Expense of Blind	2 0 42
Stationary Expense of	4 8 3 47
Expense of Elections	25 10
Prosecutor Salary	81 75
Expense of County Asylum	10 5 4 08
Public Buildings	9 1 4 2 33
Insane	3 2 9 61
Judges Salary	2 9 1 38
Total Amount	26 9 0 3 69

Special School Revenue

Due drawn June 1st 1841	24 75
Amount of orders issued during fiscal year	6 3 3 6 26
total	6 3 6 1 01
Amount collected during year	6 2 8 8 78
Due drawn June 1st 1841	7 2 23

Collective Fund

Balance in Treasury June 1st 1840	46 30
Collected during year ending June 1st 1841	2 8 5 32
total	3 3 0 62
Paid out on Orders	3 3 0 42
Balance in Treasury June 1st 1841	20

Militia Fine

Amount Collected during	2 0 5 01
	2 0 5 01

Lynn Dixon

Road Revenue

Due Dixon June 1st 1863	23 00
Amount of orders issued to Constables to June 1st	599 49
total amount.	599 19
Collected during year ending June 1st 1864.	599 19

Constable Revenue

Balance in Treasury June 1st 1863	10 61
collected during year ending June 1st 1864	13 69 94
total amount	13 79 55
Amount of orders issued to Constables	13 68 94
Balance in Treasury June 1st 1864	10 61

Surveyors Fee

Amount during year	31 00
Balance in Treasury June 1st 1863	24 98
total	55 98
Order issued to Surveyor	55 98

Agricultural fund

collected during year	20 00
paid out on Orders	20 00

This Report is most Respectfully submitted to the Board of Commissioners of Elkhart county Indiana

Geo Spielman Auditor
Elkhart county

Directed to the Trustees to submit my annual report of the Apportionment of the Common and Congressional School funds

Common School Principal

Due on account, in Treasury June 1st 1863	1079 93
Due Notes in on Loans by Township Trustees	33 28 49
Amount of fines collected Due June 1st 1864	3 30 15
total amount collected	36 36 57
Paid out on Loans during year	25 75 63
Balance in Treasury June 1st 1864	10 60 94

Town of Dixon

Congressional Principal

Balance in Treasury June 1st 1863	57	00
Amount paid in Treasury during year	2946	21
Total	3503	21
Amount loaned out on loans during year	2946	00
Loans Balance in Treasury June 1st 1864	557	21

Total amount of Common and Congressional Principal remaining in Treasury June 1st 1864 — 16 25 98

Common School Revenue

Amount in Treasury June 1st 1863	155	57
" collected during year	1116	64
total	1272	21
Amount of Interest paid over to State	943	52
Interest Refunded on Loans	39	80
total	983	32
Loans Balance in Treasury June 1st 1864	289	49

Sugar Loans

Amount in Treasury June 1st 1863	50	00
Loans collected	600	00
Total amount	650	00
Loans Balance in Treasury June 1st 1864	50	00

Congressional Interest

Balance in Treasury June June 1st 1863	65	44
Interest Collected	1070	23
total amount	1135	67
Amount of orders issued to Townships	1000	66
Loans Balance in Treasury June 1st 1864	135	01

Common School Revenue

Amount paid by Treasurer of State	7259	59
" by orders issued to Townships	7359	59

Virgil Kuhlman Auditor
Lee County Iowa

Liquor License

Dekalb

Come now William Lusted and Presents his Petition to the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county for License to Sell Intoxicating Liquors in less quantities than a Quart and the Board of Commissioners of said county being duly satisfied that proper and legal Notice was given according to law and that the said William Lusted is a person of good moral Character and legally qualified to sell the same

It is Ordered that License be granted to William Lusted to Sell intoxicating Liquors in less quantities than a Quart to be drank on his premises situated on Lot No 19. in Spencerville Dekalb County Indiana

Auburn June 10. 1864

We the Viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 4. day of June inst proceed to View and lay said Road as follows to wit. Commencing at the Allen County line between Sections 35 and 36. in Township 33 North of Range 13. East East. and thence North on said Section line until it intersects the Auburn and Spencerville Road between the Lands owned by William Hodge and Hiram Bacon have this day viewed said Road and Report the same not of public utility signed

Daniel Singerman William Lessig and
James Barclay

Ordered that Daniel Singerman William Lessig and James Barclay be
655 allowed one Dollar each for viewing of Road aforesaid
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John Brandeberry
J. M. Brimbacker
Viewers

The Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county met pursuant to adjournment present same as yesterday

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners that Emanuel Leopold be allowed Thirty one dollars and Ninety five
658 for goods furnished Dekalb county Asylum as per Bill on file

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county that Aaron Wolf be allowed Thirty dollars and Eighty eight cts for goods
659 furnished Dekalb county Asylum as per Bill on file

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of said county that A Wolf
660 be allowed Eighty five dollars and Ninety seven cents for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per Bills on file.
Ordered that Daniel Leitz be allowed three dollars and thirty five
661 cents for Illegal taxes Refunded

Dec. 6 662 Ordered that Mrs. Madame be allowed one dollar and fifty five cents for goods furnished families of Poor

663 Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county that D.N. Medway be allowed four dollars and twenty seven cents for Stationery furnished Sheriffs office as per bill on file

664 Allowed Kemp & Heathcote four dollars for goods furnished families of Volunteers

665 Allowed Adam Smith Twenty nine dollars for goods furnished families of Volunteers

666 Allowed Chew & Co. thirty eight dollars for goods furnished families of Volunteers

667 Ordered by the Board that Eric Brown be allowed five dollars for goods furnished poor as per Bill on file

668 Ordered that Simon Stultz be allowed twenty dollars and thirty seven cents for goods furnished families of Volunteers

669 Ordered that D.N. Medway be allowed fifty five dollars and eighty one cents for goods furnished families of Volunteers

670 Ordered that John Childs be allowed be allowed one Hundred and thirty eight dollars for goods furnished families of Volunteers

671 Allowed William Hamilton six dollars and twenty five cents for goods furnished families of Vol.

672 Allowed John Lewis Six dollars and twenty five cents for three furnished Poor families each of a Vol.

673 Allowed D.N. Medway Eight dollars and seven cents for goods furnished Dekalb county Asylum as per Bill on file

Petition was now heard, to the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb County asking for a private road in Fairfield township which is in words and figures as follows to wit

To the Hon. Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county State of Indiana We the undersigned citizens of said County and State and living in the immediate vicinity of the proposed Highway ask your Honorable body to grant Daniel Lantz a private road commencing at the road existing from Auburn DeKalb county to Gisbon in Noble county where the middle line of section 15 in said township crosses said Road from north to south and running thence with said line to Daniel Lantz's land in said section 15 to the land of Daniel Lantz in said section 15 and we as in duty bound will ever pray Dated April 6th 1865 Daniel Lantz Daniel Hamm John Hamm H. Hathaway Daniel Hamm Jr. and others

And now here David Hamm by Hamm & Hathaway Daniel Hamm Daniel Hamm Jr. Daniel Hamm

April Session

Present David Talbot Abraham Chesterman Jacob Young Daniel Lawrence Jacob Kindel Adam Leisy John H Bratton A D Watkins Jacob D Faulkner John Faulkner Jonas Cheney John Rankin Supervisors Clerk & Sheriff

No Remonstrances being presented the Board upon due consideration granted the prayer of the Petitioners and ordered said road to be located

Came also A.D. Watkins and Jacob Shugart the viewers heretofore appointed to view the following described road report as follows: We the Viewers appointed to view said Road, did on the 24 day of March proceed to view and lay out said Road as follows to wit. Commencing at Chesterfield Edwards Fence and running South on the Section Posts and Timbers to the Allen County line distance one mile said road to be forty feet wide as described in the order We did view and mark out said road and are the Viewers report said Road favorable and of Public utility Signed A.D. Watkins and the Board ordered said Road located and opened Jacob Shugart

Allowed A.D. Watkins two dollars and Jacob Shugart one dollar per Viewers as Road viewers

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A Road Petition is now presented to the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county in words and figures as follows to wit

The undersigned freeholders and residents of the neighborhood of the highway hereinafter proposed to be located in the County of Dekalb and State of Indiana hereby respectfully petition the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county and State aforesaid to locate the Highway beginning twenty rods west of the north East corner of Section Fifty in Township Thirty five North of Range Fourteen West East in said County of Dekalb and State of Indiana and running thence South one mile to center line of said Section Fifty & at the center line of the South East quarter of said Section Fifty & and in to corner. Being through lands owned by Isaac Baxter Jacob Hammond David Heath Joseph Pearson Elijah Richard and John Dee and said Dee lands occupied by Isaac Bittle as said Road is of no [illegible] and not a Public utility as there is a good road one quarter mile East of said Road in the East line of said Section Fifty & also a road one & ½ miles West and said Road [illegible] may be vacated

And the Board - upon the Petition was overruled - against the prayer of the petitioners and therefore Daniel Plowman Samuel Stephenson and Isaac Stevens as the Road viewers on the Road described

June Session

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana that Joseph M Bennibock be allowed Sixty four dollars for general services of the matter as per Bill on file in the Auditors office

A Petition is now presented to the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county praying for a road in said county township in said county which is in full words & figures to wit. The undersigned freeholders and residents of the neighborhood of the Highway hereinafter described to be located in the county of DeKalb and State of Indiana do respectfully petition the Hon. Board of Commissioners of the county and State aforesaid to locate a highway beginning at the quarter post at the road twice and between sections five (5) and six (6) in Township thirty five 35 North of Range fourteen (14) East in said county of DeKalb and State of Indiana thence to run thirty poles East three south to the road running East and West on the south line of section five & one four to terminate and be the same running through lands belonging to J J Klassen Jacob Baumgartner Wesley & Delano Davis and Hugh Brown Franklin June 11th 1864 Signed Thomas Barkis Elijah Ritchey J J Klassen Russel Lytle Daniel Hettinger C J Larsen Luther Beaty William Cox William Noragon & Lewis Joseph Brown John N Brown J M Wood Hugh Brown Francis Hamilton Benjamin Smith J M Baumgartner Jno Ritchey John Barnes

The Board receipt the praefers of the petitioners and appointed Jeremiah Hemstreet Benamin Wisenake and John Stains viewers

The Board adjourned until Saturday Morning June 11. 1864

John Brandon
J. M. Bennibock
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June Session

The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana met in pursuance of adjournment present John Brandon Jno M Bennebach Jonas Deiss Commissioners and Geo N Miller Sheriff of DeKalb county and Boaz Spielman Co Clerk Clerk of the Board.

Ordered by the Board that Jacob M Cook be allowed fifty nine dollars and twenty five cents for goods furnished poor as per Bill on file

Ordered that Daniel Woods ten dollars for nursing poor

Ordered that Nathaniel Black five dollars for making Coffins for Chas Hess Lands as per Bill on file

Ordered that N L Hance be allowed seven dollars and ten cents for goods furnished families of Vol.

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county that John Miller be allowed twenty dollars for boarding Ariel Waldin and insane person

Allowed J. M. Cook two Hundred and Eighty dollars and fifty cents for goods furnished families of Volunteers

And the Board after examining the county Asylum adjourned until Monday morning June 13. 1864.

John Brandon
J.M. Bennebach
Amzi Seely

The Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county Indiana met in pursuance of adjournment present John Brandon Jesse M Brumback and Amzi Seely Commissioners and John M Miller and George Kuhlman Clerk

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county Indiana that John Boyle be allowed for taxes illegally paid heretofore

Allowed A. Lane Six dollars for boarding persons in jail
Allowed D.M. Easton Nine dollars for goods furnished fam. of Volunteer.
Allowed Dreibel & Co. Eighty cents for goods furnished Sold. afford
Allowed William Miller Four dollars and fifty cents for goods furnished Poor.
Allowed Reasor & Young Ninety two dollars for Stationery furnished Dekalb county
Allowed L.B. Rose Nine dollars and Ninety five cents for goods furnished families of Volunteers
Allowed A. Bell Fifty dollars and forty four cts for goods furnished Dekalb county Asylum. as per Bill on file
Allowed T.A. Dean Five dollars and twenty one cents for goods furnished families Sold.
Allowed Eaton & Lane Three dollars and fifty cents goods furnished families of Sold. as per Bills on file
Allowed W.D. Castle for Stationery furnished Dekalb County
Allowed J. Dreibel & Co. Forty three dollars and Eighty eight cents for goods furnished families of Volunteers
Allowed Dreibel & Co Five dollars for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per Bill on file

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county Indiana that Lafayette Miller be and is hereby discharged from Labor on the highway and from paying Poll Tax
Allowed Adam Hyatt Fourteen dollars and fifty six cents for services as Supt. of Dekalb County Asylum & for Extra Service

John Brandon
J.M. Brumback
Amzi Seely

Road Petition

The Board met pursuant to adjournment present the same as at last day

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Delaware county Indiana
The undersigned free holders and residents of Union Township Delaware
County and State aforesaid would respectfully pray your Hon. Body to locate a highway
in the county and state aforesaid as follows Commencing at the north
West corner of lot Number one (1) in Best and McWilliams addition to
Matamoras City in said county and running thence in a West direction
to the eastern terminus of VanMeter in said Matamoras City and thence
with and along said Street to Monroe Street in said Matamoras city
there to terminate and that the center of said Highway commence
at the north West corner of said Lot No 1 and strike the center of
the Eastern terminus of said VanMeter Street and be in Width forty feet
and thence and thence along and with said VanMeter Street to Said
Monroe Street and be in Width sixty feet the present width of said
VanMeter Street and said Highway will leave through lands owned
by James A Best Charles A.D. McWilliam John B Harris John B. Cottingham
Calvin Crain and lands occupied by Marshall Teale and Isaac Teale
signed by A.D. McWilliam John M Reed James Watts Jr. A. Best
D.P. Black D.H. Kendall A.B. Long William Crain J.B. Rumbly
Henry James Christ Reinhart Ephraim Whited Jacob Beck James
A Best D.H. Dickinson

The Board granted the prayers of the petitioners and appointed
Abraham McCartney John Hipple and Beverly Stevens

A Petition was presented to the Board of Commissioners of Delaware
County asking for a Road in Franklin Township said County as
follows to wit

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Delaware county State of Indiana
The undersigned your petitioners would pray Your Hon Board to locate a
Highway in Franklin Township Delaware county Indiana to run as follows to
wit: Commencing at a point on the road running east and West
through the South West quarter of Section fifteen (15) and the South East
quarter of Section Seventeen (17) in Township, County and State aforesaid
Twenty nine and one half rods east of the quarter Section line running from
thence in a Straight line in a South westerly direction until it intersects the
road running east and West on the Section line between Sections twenty and
twenty nine in Township aforesaid at a point Twenty nine and one half rods
East of the South East corner of the South West quarter of Section twenty
Township, county and State aforesaid said highway will pass through lands
owned by Phillip Hanes James M Cowan and William Mc Cue there
petitioners would pray your Hon body to establish the above described
road as a Public Highway Franklin Hays is not known to Petitioners
Dimon Hanes lives on the land Petitioner Jacob Dimon Hanes

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Isaac Jackson late Lieutenant Captain Enlisman & Co. Taylor John Taylor
David Stansbury late Baker Jesse Stevens John Taylor
The Board upon investigation granted the prayers of the petitioners and
Appointed Benjamin Brandaberry Wm. Watts and John Walker Viewers

686 Ordered that William A Donovan be allowed twenty five dollars Bounty
as Bounty to Volunteer the order to be issued to his Wife
690 Allowed William Brown County one dollars and thirty five cents for Stationary
furnished Sheriff county
697 Allowed John Scatter twenty five dollars for Extra services as Clerk of Circuit
698 Allowed John H Miller four dollars services as Sheriff for specific allowance
699 Allowed Edward Wright fifty dollars for services as School Examiner
700 Allowed Marshal Horan Eight dollars and fifty three cents for labor performed
on county farm
701 Allowed W. A. H. Beals fifteen dollars and Eighty five cents for flour
furnished families of Volunteers as per Bill on file

691 Allowed John Brantner four dollars for superintending Bridges &c
702 Allowed John H Miller Eight dollars and twenty cents for Boarding Prisoner
Jail on Federal process
703 Allowed John H Miller twenty nine dollars and fifty cents for services as
Sheriff of Dekalb county as per Bill on file
704 Allowed John H Miller one dollar and fifty cents for Coal furnished families of
Volunteer
705 Allowed John H Miller twenty five dollars for services as Sheriff of Dekalb Co.

[illegible] Board of Commissioners of Dekalb County Ordered
That [illegible] be allowed [illegible] Dollars for the
services [illegible] for Dekalb County [illegible] and make the
[illegible] Allowed [illegible]

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county that [illegible]
be allowed to [illegible] Appointed County Surveyor until his
successor is Elected and qualified

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county that [illegible]
be allowed to [illegible] Appointed Inspector of the Elections in
the Northern Precinct for one year

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county that Twenty (20)
cents county tax [illegible] on each one hundred dollars valuation of the
taxable property in Dekalb county to be assessed as
the Constitution
[illegible] Dekalb County [illegible] Division [illegible]
Dekalb County [illegible] [illegible]

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Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb that John Brandon
Jesse M. Brumback and Enoch Daily be each allowed twenty four dollars
for services as Commissioners of said county
Ordered that John A Hollis Dr. two dollars for attending Board of Commissioners
Ordered that Isaac Pedelman Dr. six dollars and seventy five cents for
Postage & incidental Counties office as per bills on file
Ordered that Isaac Pedelman Dr. Fifteen and fifty one dollars and forty cents
for services as Auditor of DeKalb county Indiana
There being no further business the Board adjourned to the session in course

John Brandon
J. M. Brumback
Attest Secty

September Division

Sept. 5 1861

The Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county Indiana met in pursuance of adjournment Sept. 5. 1861 present John Brandon and Jesse M. Bumbaugh and Amzi Doty Commissioners John N Miller Sheriff and George Kaufman Ex officio Clerk of the Board.

Came now George Wolf, Benjamin Brandabury and John Walker heretofore appointed to view a road in Franklin Township as follows to wit. Viz the Viewers appointed to view said Road did on the 29th day August 1861 proceed to view said Road as follows to wit commencing at a point on the Road running East and West through the South West quarter of Section Sixteen (16) and the South East quarter of Section seventeen (17) in Franklin Township Dekalb county Indiana thirty nine and one half rods 39½ East of the quarter Section line running from thence in a straight line in a Southerly direction until it intersects the road running East and West on the Section line between Section twenty and twenty nine in Township aforesaid at a point thirty nine and one half rods of the South East Corner of the South west quarter of Section twenty. Township and county and State aforesaid. as described in the order. We George Wolf Benjamin Brandabury and John Walker did view and mark out said road and we the Viewers report said Road not favorable and not of public utility. figned

George Wolf. John. P. Walker.
Benjamin Brandabury.

Ordered by the Board that George Wolf be allowed Two dollars and John P. Walker and Benjamin Brandabury. One dollar each for services as road viewers

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county that the following named persons be allowed twenty five cents each for services as juror. in case of Inquest on the Body of Josiah B. Wells

764	David Buchanan	for services as juror	75 cts
765	Hiram D Bradley		75
766	William Brickle		75
767	John Schoonover		75
768	James M. Mitchell		75
769	Phillip Buchanan		75
770	Cornelius Wolf		75
771	Lemuel Bullard		75
772	D M. Bradley		75
773	Jacob Reinoehl		75
774	Willard White		75
775	Edward Rice		75

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776 Ordered that John Cochran be allowed one dollar and twenty five cents for services as constable in subpoening corner in case of Inquest.

777 Allowed George Metcalf two dollars and fifty cents for services as constable in case of Inquest

778 Allowed Jeremiah Plum Nine dollars for services as Coroner

779 Allowed D. D. Kennedy five dollars and for services as Clerk at Inquest on the Body of Josiah B. Bell

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county that James Porter be allowed twenty five dollars for boarding the Widow and Children of David Baker.

Came now the viewers heretofor appointed to view a road in Waterloo City in DeKalb County Indiana and report as follows to wit

Waterloo City Sept 3 1864

We the Viewers appointed to view said Road did on the third of Sept. 1864 proceed to view and locate said road as follows to wit: Commencing at the North West corner of lot number one 1. in Reed and McClellans Addition to Waterloo city in said county and running thence in a West direction to the eastern terminus of Van Fleet street in said Waterloo city and thence north and along said street to Wayne street in said Waterloo city and there to terminate. and that the center of said Thoroughfare commences at the North West corner of said lot No. one (1) and strikes the center of the Eastern terminus of said Van Fleet street to said Wayne street and be in width sixty feet the Western width of said Van Fleet street as described in the order. We John Pipher Dekalb County and Abraham McEntarfer also View and mark out said road and we the Viewers report said road favorable and of public utility signed John Pipher

Abr McEntarfer Dekalb County

The Board of Commissioners upon the consideration adopt the report and order said Road located and opened

760 Ordered that Abraham McEntarfer be allowed two dollars and 50
761 Pipher and David County each
762 six dollars for services as road viewers

Came now Jeremiah Plum for self McEntarfer and George Pricket the Viewers heretofore appointed to view a road in Smithfield Township and report as follows to wit.

Waterloo City Sept 1st 1864

We the viewers appointed to view said Road as follows to wit. Commencing at the North line each at the quarter post of Section Eleven (11) Township Thirty five (35) North of Range Thirteen (13) East in DeKalb county

Petition for road and Notice thereof filed and Bond filed and approved by Board of Commissioners

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Indiana thence running south on the center line of Section Eleven (11) and Fourteen (14) to the center of Fourteen (14) thence west on the center line till it intersects with the road running from Angola to Pratts Corners to be in width forty feet. as described in the order was summoned Glenn Jacob McCartney and George Smith to view said road and on the Viewers report report said Road favorable and of general public utility signed Jurorials Glenn George Smith and Jacob McCartney and the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county upon due consideration order the above described road located and opened

Ordered that Jacob McCartney and George Smith be allowed one dollar and Jurorials Glenn two dollars for viewing as road viewers

And the Board of Commissioners adjourned until Tuesday Sept. 6. 1864

John Brandon
Jos. M. Brumback
Attest Seely

The Board of Commissioners of Dekalb met pursuant to adjournment present same as yesterday

Ordered that one hundred and ten dollars be appropriated to refund to the common School fund which amount was heretofore borrowed and that the Auditor be authorized to draw said order

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners that one Hundred and Eighty nine dollars be appropriated for Building the Bridge on the Ft Wayne road. near Reuben Works

Ordered by the Board that fifty four dollars be appropriated for Building a Bridge on the Morning Star road near Henry Borden

Ordered by the Board that twenty dollars and twenty five be allowed to C. M. Eckinson for Lightning Rods furnished the Dekalb county Infirmary

A Petition is now presented to the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county asking for a road in Fairfield Township in said county which is in words and figures as follows to wit

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county Ind. We the undersigned citizens of said County respectfully pray your Honorable Body to grant us a view and establishment of a County Road to commence at the North West corner of Jacob Jones land being the West half of South

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Great quarter of Section Thirty six in Township Thirty five North of Range Twelve East Thence East on the North line of forsi land and South line of Nicholas McIntyre or Vintons land to the South West corner of Martin Whitesells land a distance of Eighty rods said road to twenty feet wide. July 16. 1864

Signed by George Whitney
Harrison Jones
John Jones
John Reinhart
William Straus
and others
J. M. Reed
John Felts
Josiah Metcalf
George Metcalf

There being no remonstrance the Board ordered the above described road to be located and opened at the Expence of the petitioners

786 Ordered by the Board that the Dekalb county Democrat be allowed Thirty five dollars and twenty five cts for printing &c furnished Dekalb county

789 Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county that John Minnich be allowed one hundred and fifteen dollars and twenty two cts for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per Bill on file

790 Ordered by the Board that Joseph M. Beck be allowed two Hundred and Thirty three dollars and fifty two cents for goods furnished families of Vol.

791 Ordered that Joseph M. Beck be allowed fifty seven dollars for goods furnished families of Volunteers

792 Ordered that Dorcas Moody be allowed twenty two dollars and twenty five cts for provisions furnished families of Volunteers

793 Allowed A. Wolf forty seven dollars and forty cents for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per Bill on file

794 Allowed Cornelius Withers twelve dollars for keeping a Idiotic pauper as per Bill on file

Jeremiah Hemstreet and E. D. Shoemaker the viewers heretofore appointed to view a proposed Turnpike road in Franklin Township which report is unfavorable to the location of said road

795 Ordered that Jeremiah Hemstreet and E. D. Shoemaker be allowed
796 two dollars each for services as Road Viewers

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Washington Peters A. J. Walton and Samuel Swihart the jurors heretofore appointed to view a road for a road in Union Township Reported unfavorable to the location of said proposed Highway. whereupon the report was laid on the table

747 Ordered by the Board of Com. that Washington Peters A. J. Walston and Samuel
748 Swihart be each allowed one dollars for services as road viewers
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800 Jeremiah Hemstreet and E. H. Shoemaker the jurors heretofore appointed as road
801 viewers on a petition for the vacation of a road report as follows to wit

August. 6 1864

We the Jurors appointed to view said Road did on the 6. day of August 1864
proceed to the discharge of duties to View said Road as follows
to wit. commencing Eighty (80) Rods west of the north East corner of
Section (6) six in Township Thirty five (35) North of Range fourteen in Cedar
in said county of Pulaski and State of Indiana and running thence South
one (1) mile to the south line of said section six (6) at the center line of
the South East quarter of section six (6) and in the course as described
in the order We Jeremiah Hemstreet and E. H. Shoemaker being sworn
did view said road and say the Views report said unfavorable and
not of public utility and Vacate the same signed

Jeremiah Hemstreet and
E. H. Shoemaker

upon due consideration the Board adopt the report and order said road vacated

800 Ordered that Jeremiah Hemstreet and E. H. Shoemaker be each allowed
801 two dollars for services as road viewers

802 Allowed B. A. Shiffler Two dollars for goods furnished families of Volunteers
803 Allowed Deane & co. Forty five dollars for goods furnished families of Volunteers
804 Allowed Jesse M. Bowman twenty dollars for aid to Volunteers families said
805 Allowed Alvin Tomlinson twenty six dollars for flour furnished families of
Volunteers

816 Allowed Peter Childs & co. One hundred and twenty nine dollars
for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per order on file

William H. Swisher and John Hathaway came and presented their report
upon Road Jurisdiction as follows to wit.

We the Jurors appointed to view said Road did on the third day of
September 1864. proceed to View and Locate said road as follows to wit.
commencing at the North West corner of section of Section 24. in Bruce
Township Pulaski county Indiana and running East on said section line
through lands owned by A. D. Henderson Heirs said the line of
Jerome Henderson until it strikes the East line of said Section and

intersects the Geneal running East and West on said Section line in Troy Township DeKalb county Indiana said road to be of the width of Sixty feet as described in the order the said Viewers and mark said road and make their Report said favorable and of public Signed
William Mc Emerson and
John Hedwig

Whereupon a remonstrance was presented By S. B Graham against the location of said road and asking to have viewers appointed to assess damages and whereupon the Board of Commissioners upon due consideration appointed Thomas Mooney Jefferson D. Beard and Miles Waterman as Viewers to assess damages said viewers to report at the next Session of the Board of Commissioners

The Board adjourned until Wednesday morning.

John Brandon
J. M. Brumback
Attest Seely

Wednesday Morning Sept 7 1864 The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county met in pursuance of adjournment present same as yesterday

807. Ordered that Joseph D. Davis be allowed one Hundred and fifty nine dollars and thirteen cents for boarding jail on the Court House and articles furnished county Asylum and articles furnished Sheriff of DeKalb county

808 Ordered that J. B. Simmons be allowed Three dollars for articles furnished Miss Stephen Silkins as per Bill on file

A Petition for a road in Wilmington Township is now presented which is in words and figures as follows to wit.

We the undersigned of Wilmington Township DeKalb county Indiana ask the Hon. Commissioners of said county to appoint Viewers to relocate a road commencing at the S.W. corner of Section 32. Town North to the north of the Township on the section line (or as near as practicable) between Section twenty one and twenty two the lands on the foregoing road is owned by Reuben Bowlin E. H. Dickinson J. McMelmon or Father Moses Woods Chris [illegible] E Lantz signed by Isaac Sawyer Elias Bowlin H. McMahon Charles Graber James Neal will Williams Joh Jacob Bomhoff Wm Woods S. E. Parker James D Sawyer Samuel Eastday William Small J. B. Simmons

The Board upon due consideration grant the prayer of the petitioners and appoint J. B. Simmons James Johnson and John Winland viewers to view said road & report at the December Session 1864

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Ordered that D Shull & co be allowed Ninety six dollars for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per Bills on file

Allowed Wm Bragg one dollar and fifty eight cents for goods furnished county Prisoners
Allowed Wm. Hidings one dollar and forty four cents services as Recorder &c.
Allowed Christian Kulp Six dollars and forty cents for Lumber furnished DeKalb county
Allowed Emanuel Shepfield Ninety five cents for goods furnished DeKalb county Asylum
Allowed Stiefel & co. Seventeen dollars for goods furnished DeKalb co. Asylum
Allowed Stiefel & co. One Hundred and seven dollars and thirty eight cents for goods furnished the families of Volunteers
Allowed John Shaver Twenty five dollars for keeping pauper 3 months
Allowed John Zimmerman Ninety one dollars for flour furnished families of Volunteers as per Bill on file
Allowed J McInnich Twenty six dollars and Eighty five cts for goods furnished families of Volunteers

To the Honorable the county Commissioners of DeKalb county the undersigned would pray your Honorable body to vacate so much of Pyle Street in Waterloo City as runs from the Township center road West to Pine Street and to extend Douglas Street in lieu thereof from said Township center road West to said Pine Street the undersigned are all the persons affected by said proposed alteration for which we would ever pray &c signed W Hopkins and 9 Wm Pa. McAnally.

Now being no remonstrance and the Board being satisfied that proper and legal Notice was given ordered the above described vacation to be made and be recorded and Douglas Street to be extended

Ordered that Wm A Veale be allowed two hundred and five dollars and Thirty two cts for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per Bill on file

Came J. J. Hopkinson Isaac Hartzler and John Davis the viewers heretofore appointed to view a road in Van Buren Township and report as follows to wit. Auburn August 20. 1864

We the viewers appointed to view said road did on the 20th day August 1864 proceed to view and locate said road as follows to wit

Commencing at the quarter post on the West line of Section (20) in Township Thirty five North of Range Thirteen East in DeKalb county Indiana and running thence East on the quarter line through Section twenty (20) and twenty one (21) said Township and County to the quarter post on the East line of said Section twenty one and said road to the width of forty feet as described in the order. We, Isaac Hartzler John Davis and J. J. Hopkinson the viewers aforesaid do report said road favorable and of public utility figured by J. J. Hopkinson Isaac Hartzler and John Davis

Whereupon Remonstrance Be Remonstrance came and presented a remonstrance against

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the location of the foregoing described road and ask for a review. whereupon the Board upon due consideration grant the prayer of the petitioner and appoint Abrahams Mc Entire Washington Patterson and Alexander Whitten Viewers to review said road.

876 Ordered that J. J. Hepburn Isaac Pentzan and John Dance be each
876 allowed two Dollars for services as road viewers
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876 Ordered that George Waggoner be allowed thirteen dollars and twenty cents for provisions furnished families of Volunteers as per Bill on file

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of DeKalb county
The undersigned would respectfully represent that we have been digging a ditch commencing some 20. or 25 Rods North of the South West corner of the South East quarter of the South West quarter of section twelve in Jackson Township and running through a portion of the South West quarter of the South West quarter of said section 12. and across the North West corner of the aforesaid South East quarter of South West quarter of said section 12 and thence diagonally in a North East direction across the North East quarter of the South West quarter of said section to the county road running North and South through the center of said section twelve. Said ditch is finished to for as above described. Some four miles and two feet ditch running through the lands of D.M. Pressley Mary Lockwood and Williams George a distance of two hundred rods more less. affecting also to some little extent the land of George Meares to wit. the N E qr of N W qr of section 12. in said Township and further that it had been contemplated to continue said ditch East of the aforesaid road some 60 rods more or less from where the ditch now terminates to its natural out let a Beaver dam on the lands Isaac Pentzan Esq. the West half of the North East quarter of said section twelve (12) Jackson Township as petitioned said continuation of the ditch the ground through which that part already completed. will not be effectually drained

Said Isaac Pentzan forbids the digging of said ditch from the above mentioned road to the outlet at the Beaver dam on his premises and this and the is to ask your honorable Board to appoint men to view said ditch and proposed continuance of the same to the outlet and assess the damages or advantages of the same as provided by act. of Indiana legislature at the session of 1863 as
The proposed continuation of said ditch commences where the ditch now terminates Viz. at the center stake of section twelve aforesaid and is to run straight with the natural course of the water to the contemplated outlet at the aforesaid Beaver dam and to be four feet wide and two feet deep and with such effect the lands of Isaac Pentzan and D.M. Pressley signed by William George D.M. Pressley and M. Lockwood

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Bd. Board saw due consideration granted the prayers of the petitioners and appointed James McClellan Christian Sheets and A. G. Hewitt as viewers to assess Benefits and damages affected by the proposed Establishing on the premises and lands mentioned in this petition

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana

The undersigned freeholders of said county two of whom reside in the immediate vicinity of following proposed highway petition your Honorable body for the location of a public highway commencing at the center post on the east side of Section thirty six (36) in Township thirty-four 34. North of range thirteen east in DeKalb county Indiana and and running thence east to the center of Section thirty five 35 in same Township and County through lands owned and occupied by J. D. Savage Susan D. Savage J. D. Savage of which Egbert H. Heath is agent. Maria Bingman James Gr. Cosper Hugh Sherman Susan D. Cosper David Cochran Jun. John McCloy Elizabeth Wining and Wesley Bebout and for the Vacation of the highway leading from Auburn to Newville or Pinna leading from the center of said Section thirty five to the center post on the east side of said Section thirty six running through lands owned and occupied by which E. H. Heath is agent Maria Bingman James Gr. Cosper Hugh Sherman Susan D. Savage David Cochran Jun. and they ask that said proposed highway be fifty feet wide signed by D. Bingman John A. McCloy John D. Meeks David Cochran A. Whitlock Thomas Baldock Elizabeth Wining Wesley Bebout John Cosper J. Cramer Wm. McCraun Joseph A. McCloy.

Order issued

The Board of Commissioners being satisfied that proper and legal notice was given granted the prayers of the petitioners and appointed William Heath James Barclay and Moses Brandon to view said proposed road

A Petition for a road in Jackson Township is now presented as follows

To the Board of Commissioners for DeKalb county

The undersigned petitioners would represent and most respectfully pray your honorable board to appoint viewers to re-survey and relocate a portion of the county road running on the East and West Section line two miles South of the North line of Concord and Jackson Township from the St. Joseph river to Indian Creek The portion to be relocated lies between the North and South roads on the Section line one half mile West of the East line of Jackson Township such Section consists of Section 10. 11. 14. and 15 in Jackson Township. Said portion touches on and affects lands owned by D. M. Sidney George Moore. Alexander Lockwood and

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The Heirs of John L. Symes deceased John Ballew Henry Brown Daniel & Smith James Stafford and 4 Others. August. 1864 viewed & Mr. Arthur George Moore Johnson Lambert William George Hartman George James Moore & Hiram William H. Moore W. H. Moore John Rice & M Shaffer John Smith John H. Boren Morris M. Boren Ephriel M. & G. John Carper William L. Symes and A Lockwood and the Board upon due consideration granted the prayer of the petitioners and appointed Henry Brown. Jotham Mosley and William H. Moore as viewers on the foregoing described road.

879 Ordered that D. L. Edson be allowed and himself nine dollars and forty four cents for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per Bills on file

John Bowman
Jas M. Brumback
Comm'rs Court

Thursday Sept. 8. 1864 the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county met in pursuance of adjournment present same as yesterday

881 Ordered by the Board of Commissioners that John N. Miller be allowed Eleven dollars and twenty cents for notifying road viewers

880 Allowed John N Miller twenty five dollars for services as Sheriff of Dekalb county

882 Allowed George Ramey Thirty nine dollars and twenty five cents for services as Assessing

883 Allowed John H. Holston one dollar and forty five cents for articles furnished Volunteers families

884 Allowed John H. Holston twenty five dollars for services as Clerk of Court of Dekalb county Indiana

885 Ordered that W. B. Lingle be allowed twenty six dollars for stationery furnished Dekalb county Volunteers officers

Richard Dill comes now and presents his petition to the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county asking them to grant him a license to sell Intoxicating Liquors in less quantities than a quart. And the Board being satisfied that legal notice was given and the said Richard Dill having sufficient bond that he is a proper person to retail Intoxicating Liquors Ordered that License be granted to Richard Dill to sell Spirituous Liquors and malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart at a time to be drank on the premises situated on Lot No. 45 in the town of Waterloo Dekalb county Indiana

886 Ordered that D. L. Edson & Co. be allowed fifty four dollars and twenty one cts for provisions furnished families of Volunteers as per Bill on file

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Ordered that John Brandon and Lee Gentleman be allowed twelve dollars for services in going to St Marys and returning last Month

Ordered that Samuel M Coleston be allowed fifty two dollars and seventy five cents for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per orders on file

Allowed Christie Sheets seventy eight dollars and seventy cents for flour furnished families of Volunteers as per Bill on file

Allowed Joseph Beachaten Six dollars and five cents for making Coffin for Child of Dunbar

Allowed W. D. Hall ten dollars for flour furnished families of Volunteers

Allowed John Brandon ten dollars for superintending Bridge

Ordered that William H Emerson and John Hedwig be each allowed one and dollar for services as road Viewers

Allowed William H Emerson one dollar for making return of road report

In the Board adjourned to Tuesday morning

John Brandon
Jos M. Brumback
Amzi Seely

The Board met in pursuance of adjournment present same as on yesterday

Ordered that Rose and Bostick be allowed Ten dollars for making plats of the Town of Butler as per Bill on file

Allowed Emery & Andrews Thirty six dollars for Stationery furnished DeKalb County

Allowed Samuel Edgerly Thirteen dollars for Keeping pauper as per Bill on file

Allowed Michael Long Ninety dollars and fifty eight cents for Beef furnished families of Volunteers

Allowed Jesse A. Ware Four dollars and one cents for stationery furnished DeKalb co.

Allowed A. L. Pennington Two dollars and fifty cents for Medical attendance on one poor

Allowed Dr A. Seamore Three dollars and fourteen cents for Medical attendance on county Asylum

Allowed A. B. Pennington Eight dollars and fourteen cents for Med attendance on poor.

Allowed E. Stanley & Co. Forty four dollars and for Med. attendance on Small pox

Allowed George Hembleman Three Hundred and for Sixty six dollars and forty eight cents for services as Sheriff & Tax Collector

In the Board adjourned to 1st Monday Morning

John Brandon
Jos M. Brumback
Amzi Seely

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Sept. 10. 1861

Saturday Morning Sept 10. 1861 the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county met in pursuance of adjournment present same as yesterday

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners that Five Thousand Dollars be Appropriated for the purpose of keeping for furniture &c to furnished the Offices and Court rooms in the new court House under the direction of John Brandon

Ordered that fifty dollars be appropriated towards Building a Bridge over Peck's
1309. Thompsons in Smithfield Township and that S. Duncan be appointed to superintend the same

Ordered that fifty dollars be appropriated towards Building a Bridge near Amos Van Neill in Fulton Township Dekalb county and that J. V. Brown be appointed to superintend the same

Ordered by the Board that Four hundred and fifty dollars be Appropriated to repair three Bridges in Newville Township two across the river at
1013 Orangeville and one at Newville and one across the brook near Newville and that Amos Seely and J. V. Brown be appointed to superintend the same

Ordered by the Board that an Appropriation of fifty dollars be made towards the Building of a "Bridge" in Smithfield Township over Jennies Creek and that Jesse McClymonds be appointed to superintend the same

Ordered that John Brandon be appointed to procure wood for the different offices in the New Court House

Allowed William Pollard two dollars for making patterns for casting grates at new court House

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county that the rooms in the first floor of the New Court be numbered as followed to wit. Commencing on the South West end of the building the first door from the Entrance to be No. One the middle room on the South side to be No two. the South East room No three and the North East room No. Four. the middle room on the North side No. Five and the North West room to be No. Six. Said rooms shall be held and occupied as follows No 1 shall be held and occupied as the Sheriffs office No two the Recorders office No three the Clerks office No. Four the Auditors office No. Five the Treasurers office and No Six shall be held and occupied as the Commissioners office

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Ordered by the Board that John H. Mellis Eighty dollars for services as Sheriff
Ordered by the Board that John Brandon Jesse M. Brumback be each allowed
Eighteen dollars for services as Commissioners
Ordered that Augs Seely be allowed Eighteen dollars for services as Commissioner

The Board adjourned to this session in course

John Brandon
Jesse M. Brumback
Augs Seely

Auburn Thursday Sept. 22 1864

The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana met in pursuance of Legal Notice given by the Auditor of said County present John Brandon Jesse M Brumback and Augs Seely Commissioners and George Mellinger Ex officio Clerk of the Board
The Board of Commissioners was called for the purpose of letting a poor farm and erecting the New Court House. Whereupon it is
Ordered that the poor farm be let to William McBride in accordance with the Specifications and Contract now on file in the Auditors office

Ordered that John Brandon Jesse M. Brumback and Augs Seely be each allowed Three dollars for services as Commissioners

John Brandon
Jesse M Brumback
Augs Seely

Oct. Special Session

October 7th 1844

The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana met in pursuance of Notice given by the Auditor of said county for the purpose of settling accounts with the contractors of the new Court House and accepting the same. President John Brandon with Mr Brumback and Lewis Daily Commissioners and Leo Packleman Clerk of the Board.

Whereupon Davis & Wheelock the present contractors presented their account and after due deliberation the Board of Commissioners

Ordered that Twenty five Hundred dollars be allowed Davis & Wheelock being the amount in full of all demands against said Board and that orders be issued on the Treasurer of said county for the same

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners that John Brandon and Lewis Daily be each allowed Nine dollars and Isaac Mr Brumback six dollars for services as Commissioners at the Oct. Extra Session 1844

John Brandon
J.M. Brumback
Lewis Daily

Nov Special Session

The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana met in pursuance of a Notice issued to them by the Auditor of said county to meet for the purpose of receiving the official bonds of the County officers elected at the Oct. Election of 1856 Viz. Sheriff, Coroner, Recorder and County Commissioner and for the purpose of transacting business in reference to building and Buildings for the New Court House

Present Jesse M. Bruinbach Amzi Seely and Alexander Provines The latter of whom now presents in open Session his certificate of Election with his oath endorsed thereon

Came now Geo. A. Hoffman the person Elected Recorder Henry Wilkes the person Elected Sheriff. Geo. W. A. Smith the person Elected Coroner and Henry Mc. Brown the person elected County Commissioner. and

present their Bonds to the Board of Commissioners for acceptance which were all duly accepted and approved

Ordered that Jeremiah Blum be allowed three dollars and fifty cents for services as Sheriff in notifying the Board of Commissioners

Ordered that Jesse M. Bruinbach Amzi Seely and Alexander Provines be allowed each three dollars for services as Commissioners of DeKalb Co. and the Board adjourned to session in course

J. M. Bruinbach.
Amzi Seely
A Provines

December Session 1864

The Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county met according to law on Monday December 5th 1864 present Hon. Bornabeck Chairman Beely and Alexander Groves Commissioners Henry Wells Sheriff and George Bachman Ex officio Clerk of the Board.

1131 to 1141 Ordered that Jarvis Porter be allowed fifty nine dollars for Taking care of 4 paupers

1142 Ordered that Isaac Zimmerman one hundred and Eleven dollars and twenty five cents for flour furnished families of Volunteers as per Bill on file

Commissioners Peters Mrs. Realton and A. McAntafer the persons appointed heretofore to view a road in Smithfield Township Dekalb co. came now and report as follows to wit

Sept. 29th 1864

We the viewers appointed to review said road did on the 29th day of September 1864 proceed to view and to relocate said road as follows to wit. commencing at the quarter post on the west line of Section twenty (20) Township Thirty five 35. north of Range thirteen east in Dekalb county Georgia and running thence East on the quarter line through Sections twenty (20) and twenty one (21) in said Township and county to the quarter post on the East line of said Section twenty one 21 said road to be forty feet wide as described in the order. We Abraham McAntafer A.D. Realton and W Peters did view and mark out said route and are the reasons report said road favorable and of public utility signed

Washington Peters
A.D. Realton
A McAntafer

and the Board upon due consideration adopted the report and order said road located and opened

1143 1144 1145 Allowed Abraham McAntafer and A.D. Realton two dollars and Washington Peters three dollars for viewing as road viewers

1146 Allowed A.D. Bates twelve dollars for Keeping a child pauper as per Bill on file

Edward Eldridge came now and presents his petition for License to sell intoxicating Liquors in less quantities than a quart and the Board being satisfied that he is a person of good moral character

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2 day and that proper and legal notice was given
Ordered that License be granted to Edward Eldridge to sell Spirituous Vinous and malt Liquors in less quantities than a quart on the premise now occupied by him situated on Lot No 63 old Town Auburn DeKalb county Indiana for the time of one year from the date hereof
The Board adjourned until to Morrow Morning

J. M. Brunsbach
Auzi Selby
A Rowley

Tuesday morning Dec 6 1841 The Board of Commissioners met in pursuance of adjournment present same as yesterday

1147 Allowed George Wagoner two dollars and fifty cents for goods furnished Poor Smith

1148 Allowed W. H. Goodamer twelve dollars and seventy five cents for goods furnished families of Pat. Mose A Beagle

1149 Allowed Abraham W McMellen three dollars for goods furnished families of Pat Mose Heaman

1150 Allowed Joseph McGee Thirty three dollars and five cents for goods furnished families Noah Walden a pauper

1151 Allowed J. Jr. Gee four dollars and Eleven cents for goods furnished Poor. as per Bill on file

1152 Allowed Dwight Moody twenty three dollars and sixty six cents for goods furnished families of Pat. as per Bill on file

1153 Allowed W. W. Clapp seven dollars for stationary furnished DeKalb Co Court as per Bill on file

1154 1107 Allowed DeKalb county Democrat sixty five dollars and seventy five cents for Printing done for the county

1155 Allowed Emanuel Arnold Eighteen dollars and eighty one cents for groceries furnished families of Volunteers

1156 Allowed A Wolf fifty three dollars and twenty one cents for goods furnished families of Pat.

1157 Allowed John Wilder & Conrad. one Hundred and fifty nine dollars for goods furnished families of Pat.

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2 days Ordered That Joseph Mc. Reed be allowed Three Hundred and
1157 & fifty one dollars and fifty seven cents for goods furnished families of Pol.
1158

John Barr came into and presents his petition for license to sell Spirituous
liquors and malt liquor in less quantities than a quart at a time
and the Board being satisfied that proper and legal notice was given
and that he is a person of good moral Character
Ordered That License be granted to John Barr to sell intoxicating liquors
in less quantities than a quart to be drank on the premises now occupied
by him and situated on lot No. 94 old plat Jackson Dekalb County
Indiana for one year from the date thereof

1159 Allowed Ithuel Grimsley one dollar and fifty cents for making keys for
Court House

1160 Allowed Ralph Crisfield & Sons one hundred and sixty seven dollars
1161 and twenty cents for goods furnished families of Pol.

A Petition for a road is now presented to the Board of Commissioners
which is in words and figures as follows to wit
To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Dekalb County Indiana
We your humble petitioners hereby request your Hon. Body to
appoint viewers to locate a Highway in Clayford Township Dekalb
County Indiana commencing on the East line of Section four (4) in
said Township & a point fifty feet North of Center of the Race track
and running thence in a Westerly direction along and parallel to
said Race until it intersects the North line of the South Half of said
Section four (4) and running thence west along said line to the
North West corner of the South half of said Section there meeting a
Highway already located said Highway to be sixty feet in width
Signed Ralph Krauss John Brant John Duff Jacob Krise
George Walter David Ott Daniel G. Stanhope Lewis Ball
Otis Pillsbury John M. Barbee David Isaac M Crawford Sr Ford
Daniel Dieringer Silas Neill Isaac M Grimsley & others Knowlhausen
Henry Brown and Mfrd Jefferson
The Board upon due consideration granted the prayer of the petitioners
and appointed Daniel Neill & Jas. Crawford viewers and Wm. Hogan
Surveyor

1162. Allowed twenty dollars Herbert Reeves for Wood furnished Dekalb county
court House in Auburn as per Bill on file
1163 Allowed James M Ware Eight dollars and Ninety two cents for Stationary
furnished County Officers as per Bill on file

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1163 Allowed D.M. Bolton Thirty Six dollars and eighty cents for goods furnished families of Vets

1164 Allowed Jeremiah Plum five dollars for filling public offices in Auburn

1165 Allowed William Bradow Thirty nine dollars and twelve cents for Stationary furnished Auditor of Dekalb county

1166 Allowed William Sheets twenty three dollars for Stationary furnished Treasurer of Dekalb county Indiana

A Petition for a road is now presented to the Board which is in words and figures as follows

To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb County Indiana We your petitioners would respectfully request you to appoint viewers to locate a public highway in Stafford Township Dekalb County Indiana commencing at the North East Corner of the South East quarter of Section Seventeen in said Township and running thence South to the South East corner of the North East quarter of Section twenty nine in said Township thence South West to the West side of B. D. Brunswicks orchard so as to require the removal of but three apple trees thence in a Southerly direction to the end of the Bridge across the St Joseph River below the Webster Mills said highway to be Forty feet in Width Laid out by B. D. Brunswick. Jacob Hook Lorenzo Potter Henry Graff Stewards Architutes George Heaton John Hook. Jacob Schnebtzle Thomas Steele Henry Hook Peter Hrubes George Beever William Shook

and this Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county Grant the prayer of the Petitioners and Appointed Samuel Heller D. Ge Overhamaker and D. H. Cooper as viewers

Came now James Durham and presents his petition praying to the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county to grant him a license to sell Intoxicating Liquor in less quantities than a quart. and the Board of Commissioners being satisfied that proper and legal Notice was given and that the above named is a person of good moral character Ordered that License be granted to James Durham to sell Intoxicating Liquor in less quantities than a quart on his premises situated on Lot No 119 in the original plat of the town Waterloo in Dekalb county Indiana for the term of one year from the date hereof

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1167 Ordered that Samuel Bechtold be allowed fifteen dollars and fifty cents for goods furnished poor.

1168 Ordered that Wolf fifty dollars and twenty eight cents for goods furnished families of poor as per Bill on file

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county and State of Indiana we the undersigned petitioners pray for the relocation of a public Highway in Fairfield Township DeKalb county Indiana said road to commence at the old State road between Sections 5 and 6 right at the School House in District No 3. on said road thence running due west on the Section line between said Sections 5 and Eight (8) and on west between Sections six (6) and seven (7) to the County line to intersect the North and South road the lines across names along said Section line are as follows Section 5 Adolphus Murphy and Eagles Harris Section 6. Henry Murphy and Jacob Douglas. Sec 7. B. C. Shipe Frederick Swinehart and Hannah Beckbarger. Section Eight Andrew Smith Fairfield Nov-10 the 1864 Signed B. D Miller Sec. Shipe Andrew Smith Isaiah Fowler Adam Doty Adolphus Murphy Morris Dreg Jacob Ward Sebastian Eckhart Harris or Smith Barnes Henry Windlesbarger Henry D Murphy George M. Housekeeper August Dibell Jacob Shipe Isaac Fleetwood Jacob Barnes John Leonard C. Douglas B. M. Douglas & Barnes

and the Board upon due consideration grant the prayer of the petitioners and appointed Jacob Doty Christian Smith and Isaac Housekeeper viewers

1169 Allowed John N. Miller twenty seven dollars and fifty seven cents for services as Sheriff as per Bill on file

Whereas B. Simmons John Hinebaugh and James Johnson the viewers heretofore appointed to view a road in Wilmington Township DeKalb county have made such report as follows to wit.

Wilmington Nov. 10. 1864

We the viewers appointed to view said road did on the 10 day of November 1864 proceed to view said road as follows to wit. Commencing at the South east corner of Section No 32. thence North to the center of the Township on the Section line between Section twenty one (21) and twenty two 22 in Wilmington Township as described in the order. We do make and find the above remonstrance void to the width of forty feet and we the viewers report said proposed road as public utility. Signed B. Simmons J. D. Johnson and John Hinebaugh

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such the upon due consideration adopt the report such order said road laid out and opened

1170 1171 1172. Ordered That John Moreland and I. S. Johnson be allowed two dollars each and J. H. Simmons one dollar for services as road viewers

Ordered That D. A. C. McCollum be allowed twenty dollars for six mile county Scales by furnished the county said order to be issued when the scales are furnished

1173 Allowed Susan C. Dohner twenty dollars in aid to families of Vol.

To the Board of Commissioners of the county of DeKalb State of Indiana

The undersigned having been appointed by your Honorable Board at its September term last past to view the following described road or road for a road to wit. commencing at the N.W. corner of Sec. 24. in Grove township DeKalb county Indiana State last until it intersects the road running East and West on said line East of Dish Creek and assess the damages if any sustained by A. S. Casbeer on account of the location of road on said line beg. leave to report that on the third day of Dec. 1864 after first being duly sworn. we proceeded to view said road and find that the said A. S. Casbeer will sustain damages to the amount of one Hundred dollars $100. by the opening of a road on said line we therefore assess his damages at said sum of one hundred dollars. Witness our hands this 5th day of Dec. 1864 signed Miles Statuman
J. D. Beard
Thomas Mecomey
Commissioners

The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county after due deliberation ordered the above described road to be laid and opened upon the payment to the petitioners the damages assessed by the above named viewers

1174 1175 1176 Ordered that Thomas Mecomey and Miles Statuman be each allowed one dollar and J. D. Beard two dollars for services as road viewers as per Bill on file

A Petition is now presented to the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county asking for a private road in Richmond Township DeKalb county which is in words and figures as follows to wit.

To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county. Your petitioners would respectfully represent that he is the owner

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in the middle of the South East fourth of the North West quarter of Section four (4) Wilmington Township Dekalb county Indiana, that there is now no highway laid out running nearer than Eighty rods to said premises. That he now resides upon & owns said premises above described that he has no road by which he can reach any public highway but by crossing over the premises of other persons and upon petitioners having requested that upon the Board of Commissioners aforesaid would grant him a private road running west from the North West corner of the South South East fourth of the North West quarter of Section four (4) in Wilmington Township Dekalb county Indiana on the South boundary line of the North West of the North West quarter of said Section four (4) until it intersects a public highway already located and traveled. Said proposed road being ten feet in width taking eight feet in width from the land of G.W. Palmerton and eight feet in width from the land of Andrew Lord Wilmington Indiana November A.D. 1868

William Cook (Petitioners)

The Board upon due consideration granted the prayers of the petitioners and order said road located and opened by the petitioners

Emanuel G. Shoemaker comes and presents a remonstrance by his Attorney A.C. Downing against the location and asking for damages in a road petition Henry D. Elwood and others are interested but the Board refused to act on said remonstrance on the ground that final action was taken on said road before said remonstrance was presented

Lewis Etz came and presented his petition for License to sell Spirituous Liquor in less quantities than a quart. and the Board refused to grant License on the ground that he is not a person of good moral character

1177 Albert Klein Groceries forty five Dollars for four Peddlers Licenses of Peddlers as per Bill on file

1178 Albert Klein Merchandise forty dollars for Auctioneer Licenses for Auctioneers goods Peddlers &c

1179 Francis Falen Groceries forty dollars for Peddling Dried Fruit Peddlers as Peddlers Goods

1190 Ordered that George Barney be allowed two dollars and eighty two cents for bank note reporter furnished Treasurers office

1191 Allowed George Barney twenty six dollars and twelve cents for services as Treasurer of DeKalb county

1192 Allowed Henry Hoeckle thirteen dollars for goods furnished families of Sol.

And the Board adjourned to Wednesday Morning

G. M. Brumback
Amzi Seely
A Barnes

Wednesday - September 7. 1864 The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb Co. met in pursuance of adjournment present same as yesterday

Ordered by the Board that the following named persons be allowed the amounts set opposite their names for services as Judges of the Oct Election 1864 in making returns

1193	Jacob B. Hocom	for one day and 10 miles travel		1 40
1194	Dwight Moody	2 H		1 90
1195	J W. Brownsword	2 H.		1 90
1196	D. B. Messelman	32		3 28
1197	H. W Board	1		1 00
1198	William Henderson	22		1 88
1199	William H Hubbell	20		1 80
1200	Levi Borow	16		1 64
1201	John G. Dancer	15		1 48
1202	Peter Simons	14		1 56
1203	Jeremiah Hemstreet	12		1 48
1204	Joshua Beardsley	32		3 28
1205	Emanuel Reidy	2 H		1 90

1206 Ordered by the Board of Commissioners that John Gralston be allowed twenty five dollars for services as Clerk of Sinent of DeKalb county

1207 Ordered that Levi Borow be allowed one hundred and eighteen dollars for building bridge in Richland Township

1208 Allowed same services five dollars for services or for goods furnished families of Sol. as per bill on file

1123 Allowed A. M. Pollock & Co. twenty five dollars and fifty cents for work done for this county Records Record

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1200 Allowed John Thomas twenty five dollars for services in keeping Jonathan Thomas a pauper as per Bill on file

1201 Ordered Davis Pitts Fourteen dollars for repairing Public Buildings &c.
1203 Allowed Charles Nelson two dollars for repairing poor house

1202 Allowed Absalom Shurbet one dollars and fifty cents for moving furniture of the county offices

1204 Allowed Levi Bacon Eight dollars and fifty five cents for work in Bankers in said County Dekalb county

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county That the following named persons be allowed the amounts set opposite to their names for making returns of the Nov Election 1864.

1205	G. W.	Bowers	goods and	24	miles travel	1.96 ✓
1206	William	Hubbell	. . .	20	. .	1.80 ✓
1207	Jacob B.	Vocum	. . .	16	. .	1.40 ✓
1208	James A.	Duncan	. . .	13	. . 5	1.46 ✓
1209	Joshua	Bassbow	. . .	33	. . 2	2.28 ✓
1210	Geo	Simms	. . .	14	. . 6	1.56 ✓
1211	William	Nicholson	. . .	22	. . 5	1.66 ✓
1212	Henry W	Bond	. . .		. . 4	1.00 ✓
1213	Emanuel	Nicley	. . .	24	. . 7	1.96 ✓
1214	Dwight	Moody	. . .	24	. . 4	1.96 ✓
1215	Levi	Vocum	. . .	16	. . 6	1.64 ✓
1216	John A.	Dancy	. . .	12	. . 3	1.46 ✓

Ordered by the Board That the action taken at the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county in relation to the application made by Lewis Crate for a license to sell Liquor vending [illegible] be set aside and that a rehearing be granted to said Crate. Alexander Simmons one of the commissioners dissenting

1110 ✓ Ordered That Joseph D. Davis be allowed two hundred and
1111 ✓ ninetynine dollars and sixty cents $ 299,60 for articles furnished
1111 ✓ the Court House as per Bill certified to by the County officers

1217 Ordered That Laura Woods be allowed twenty one dollars for Clean towels for Court House furnished New Records.
1218 Allowed Noah Mellick four dollars and fifty cents for work on Court House
1219 Allowed Ferdinand Helmuth five dollars and twenty five cents for work done on and around the Court House as Janitor.
1220 Allowed John Dooley four dollars for hauling gravel around the new Court House in Decatur Dekalb county Georgia

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1321 Ordered That J. M. Brumback be allowed Nine dollars for services as Commissioner

1320 Allowed John Brandon Nine dollars for services as Commissioner

1321. Ordered John Brandon Six dollars for superintending Bridges as per Bill on file

1322 Allowed Hough Shrine one dollar and fifty cents for services as aid to Assr

Came now William R. Moore and Henry Brown the persons heretofore appointed to view a road in Jackson Township in DeKalb county which is in words and figures as follows to wit.

Auburn Oct. 15. 1864

We the viewers appointed to review said road did on the 14th day of Oct. 1864 proceed to view and relocate said road as follows. to wit: a portion of the road running on the East and West section line two miles South of the North line of Concord and Jackson Townships from the St Joseph River to Cedar Creek— The portion to be relocated lies between the north and South road on the quarter section line one half mile west of the East line of Jackson Township and the Eastern corner sections 10 11. 14 and fifteen in Jackson Township as described in the order. We did review and mark out said route and we the viewers report said road favorable and of public utility signed

William R. Moore and
Henry Brown

The Board adopted the report and ordered said route relocated the same width as the old road originally laid out on the same Court. and order the same opened

And the Board adjourned until Thursday Morning

J. M. Brumback
Asst Secty
A. Provines

Thursday morning Dec. 8 1864 The Board of Commissioners met in pursuance of adjournment present same as yesterday

1323 1324 1325 Ordered Henry Brown Latham Hadley and William R. Moore be each allowed two dollars for services as road viewers

1326 Allowed Edwin Doty fourteen dollars and twenty nine cents for Beef furnished paupers of Tol.

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Ordered that J. H. Loveland be allowed two dollars for furnishing & publishing notice of redemption of sheriff's deed

1227 Allowed G. B. Hall seven dollars and sixty cents for goods furnished families of Vol.

1228 Allowed Jesse H. Brumback five dollars for flour furnished Mrs Hosier

1229 Allowed Dixon and Robbins five dollars and ninety six cents for stationery furnished county officers of DeKalb county

1230 Allowed Geo H. Hoffman one dollars and fifty cents for stationery &c furnished Recorders office

1231 Allowed Grant & co. ten dollars and twenty five cents for goods furnished families of Volunteers

1232 Allowed Henry Wells ten dollars and fifty cents for services as Sheriff of DeKalb county &c. in keeping jail

1233 Allowed G. M. Rhees fifty dollars for flour furnished families of Vol.

1234 Allowed Dixon and Robbins Two Hundred and thirteen dollars and thirteen cents for provisions furnished families of Vol. as per Bills on file

Liquor License Edson Platt comes now and presents his petition for License to sell intoxicating drinks in less quantities than a quart. And the Board being satisfied that legal notice was given and that he is a person of good character Ordered that License be granted to Edson Platt to sell intoxicating drinks in less quantities than a quart on his premises situated on Lot No 45 in the Original plat of the town of Waterloo DeKalb county Illinois for one year from the date hereof

Lewis Ware James Brunnell and others presents his petition for License to sell Vinelius Vinos will malt liquors in less quantities than a quart and the Board being satisfied that legal Notice was given and that the above named persons are a good character and a fit persons to be trusted it is Ordered that License be granted

Ordered that License be granted to James Brunnell to sell Spirituous vinous and malt liquors in less quantities than a quart to be drunk on his premises situated on Lot No. 1 in Bart Addition to the town of Waterloo DeKalb county Illinois

1235 Allowed Seward Strong twenty four dollars for stationery furnished DeKalb co.

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1124 12th Ordered — That William McBride be allowed fifty seven dollars and forty cents for work done on Poor farm and Lunatic Asylum &c.

1125 Allowed Mary McBride ten dollars and fifty cents for work done at County farm as per Bill on file

1126 Allowed Lucinda McBride ten dollars and fifty cents for work done at the County farm as per Bill on file

1127 Allowed Adam Lockwood twenty seven dollars and twenty seven cents for Beef furnished County Asylum as per Bill on file

1128 Allowed Isaac Shull twelve dollars and twenty nine cents for hauling done for County Asylum as per Bill on file

1129 Allowed Charles McBride Two dollars and fifty for work done on county farm as per Bill on file

1130 Allowed W. D. Ware ten dollars and fifty cents for Share furnished DeKalb county Asylum as per Bill on file

1131 Allowed John Kelton Eight dollars and Twenty five cts for wood furnished Clerks office

1132 Allowed C Shute — Nine dollars and Twenty four cents for two Hogs furnished DeKalb county Asylum

and the Board adjourned to Friday Morning

J. M. Brumback
Amzi Selby
A Rowines

The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county met in pursuance of adjournment Friday Morning Dec 9. 1864. present Jesse M. Brumback Amzi Selby and Alexander Rowines Commissioners Henry Willis Sheriff and Wm. Henshaw Clerk of the Board.

1133 Ordered That James Rowe be allowed two dollars for team furnished County Commissioner in going to County Asylum

1134 Ordered That C & M Shute be allowed five dollars for Stove furnished furniture of Jail.

1135 Allowed Twenty three dollars and two cents for goods furnished families of Jail to Otis Bookstaver

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Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county that Henry M. Bond be allowed one Hundred and eighty nine dollars and twenty cents for Beef furnished families of Volunteers as per Bill on file

James Barclay Moses Brandon and William Clark came now and make a report of a road, Union Township DeKalb county Indiana as follows to wit.

Auburn Oct 15 1864

We the undersigned appointed to review said road did on the 15 day of Oct. 1864 proceed to view and locate said road as follows to wit commencing at the center post on the East side of Section thirty six (36) Union Township DeKalb county Indiana and running thence West to the center of Section thirty five (35) in the same Township and county. And vacate part of the Hathaway road from Auburn to Newville leading from center of said Section 35 to the center post on the East side of said Section thirty six (36) as described in the Order. We did review such mark and said route and we the reviewers report said road favorable and of public Injury

William Clark
Moses Brandon
James Barclay

Whereupon James A Lasley moved that the whole proceedings in reference to the above described road be set aside. Whereupon the Board of Commissioners upon due consideration being satisfied, the proceedings had in the above matter were informal: It is ordered all the proceedings in said case

The case of the application for License by Lewis Doits to sell intoxicating drinks as upon brought up and whereupon the Board of Commissioners after hearing the evidence in the case upon due consideration refused the granting of license to said Lewis Doty on the ground that he is not a fit person to retail Liquors

J. M. Brumback
Amzi Selby
A Rovines

The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana met in pursuance of adjournment Saturday Morning Dec 10. 1864. present Jesse M. Brumback Amzi Selby Alpheus Rovines County Commissioners and Abram Willis Sheriff and George Kuhlman Special Clerk of the Board

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb Co. that the Auditor of said Co. be authorized hereby to sell and convey the county farm

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1125 Allowed Joseph D Davis Twenty three dollars and fifty one cents for articles furnished County office

Ordered that an Appropriation of one hundred and fifty dollars be made for the construction of a Bridge in Smithfield Township over of Juniata River the same to be Built under the supervision of the said Committee

1256 Ordered that Silas Bartlet be Allowed Ten Dollars for Rate on Building Bridge

1257 Ordered That Isaac Hoover be allowed fifteen dollars for Attorney furnished County office

1126 Allowed John Brandon one hundred and twenty five dollars for
1127 Superintending the Building of the New Court House in Lewis

1258 Allowed Clerk Willis Twelve dollars for Services as Clerk at the Commissioners Court Dec Session 1864

Allowed Recorder Rawlinson Three Hundred and twenty Two Dollars for Services as Auditor of Pikett county

1119. 1120 Ordered That Isaac M Brumbach Joseph Kelly and Alexander Provines
1259 be allowed Eighteen dollars each for Services as Commissioners
1261 of Pikett county Indiana

There being no further business the Board of Commissioners of Pikett county adjourned to their next session in course

Jas M. Brumbach
Joseph Kelly
A Provines

Deed

Auditor Dekalb co
to
John Anthony

Whereas John Anthony has paid in full the sum of two Hundred Dollars for the West Half of the South East quarter of Section Fifteen in Township Thirty three (33) North of Range fourteen (14) East in Dekalb county and State of Indiana, containing Eighty acres more or less

Now know ye that for and in consideration of the premises and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided I Leo Newhuman Auditor of Dekalb county Indiana for and in the name of the inhabitants of the Congressional Township No thirty three (33) North of Range No fourteen (14) East in said county of Dekalb and State of Indiana do give and grant unto the said John Anthony and his heirs and assigns for ever the West Half of the South East quarter of Section fifteen (15) in Township No thirty three (33) North of Range fourteen East in Dekalb County and State of Indiana

50 Jan 2 1865 Leo Newhuman 50

In witness Whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name as Auditor of said county and affixed the seal of the Board of the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county this 2 day of January A D. 1865

Leo Newhuman Auditor
Dekalb county

Before me James B. Morrison a Notary Public in and for Dekalb county personally came Leo Newhuman Auditor of Dekalb County and acknowledged the execution of the within deed

Witness my hand and seal this 2 day of January 1865

James B. Morrison

Auditor DeKalb co
to
Samuel Reno

This indenture witnesseth That on the 15 day of May 1847 Samuel Reno and Jacob Reno purchased of The School commissioners of DeKalb county State The South West quarter of Section Fifteen in Township Thirty four North of Range twelve (12) East for four hundred and eighty dollars and received a certificate of purchase Therefor and thereafter Jacob Reno having become deceased The court of common pleas of said county at its January term 1860 Ordered and directed the Auditor of said County to execute a deed & conveyance to Samuel Reno for the North half of the South West quarter of Section Fifteen (15) in Township Thirty four North of Range twelve East and a deed to the heirs of Jacob Reno deceased deceased for the South half of the South West quarter quarter of said Section Township and Range

Now know ye that I Hugh Wilson Auditor of DeKalb County Indiana in consideration of the premises aforesaid and for the further consideration that said Samuel Reno filed in the Auditors office the Executors Receipt for the full amount of Principal and Interest due thereon and in conformity to the the statute in such case made and provided. in the name of the inhabitants of the Congressional Township Thirty five North of Range twelve East. do grant and grant unto the said Samuel Reno the North half of the South West quarter of Section fifteen (15) Township Thirty five North of Range twelve East and to his heirs and assigns forever

In Witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name as Auditor of DeKalb county and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb

This 30th day of January 1860

Hugh Wilson Auditor of DeKalb county

Stamp 50 cts

State of Indiana
DeKalb County } Ss

Before me John Eaton Clerk of the county DeKalb county personally came Hugh Wilson Auditor and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing Deed

Witness my hand and seal this 30th day of January 1860

John Eaton Clerk DeKalb County Court

Seal

Auditor of Dekalb county Indiana
to
Deed of
Sarah Bowman

This indenture witnesseth that on the 15th day of May 1865 Samuel Bowman and Sarah Bowman his wife of the County commissioners of Dekalb county Indiana sold the South West quarter of Section Fifteen (15) in Township thirty five North of Range twelve East for four hundred and Eighty dollars and issued a certificate of purchase thereof

And whereas Sarah Bowman having become deceased the court of Common Pleas of said county at its January term 1865 Ordered and directed the Auditor of said county to execute a deed of conveyance to Samuel Bowman for the North half of the South West quarter of Section Fifteen (15) in Township thirty five (35) North of Range twelve East and to the Widow and Heirs of Sarah Bowman deceased a deed of conveyance for the South half of the South West quarter of said Section Township and Range

Now Know ye that I Geo. Shackleford Auditor of Dekalb county Indiana in consideration of the premises and in the further consideration that the full amount of purchase money and interest has been paid and in conformity with the Statute in such case made and provided in the name of the inhabitants of Orange and Township No. thirty five North of Range twelve East in Dekalb county Indiana. do give and grant unto Sarah Bowman the widow of Sarah Bowman deceased and Henry Bowman John Bowman and Sarah Bowman wife of Isaac Bowman Heirs of said Sarah Bowman deceased. The South half of South West quarter of Section fifteen (15) Township thirty five (35) North of Range twelve East in Dekalb county Indiana forever

In Witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name as Auditor of Dekalb county and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb County this 15th day of January 1865

Geo. Shackleford Auditor Dekalb County

Township 35
Recorded

State of Indiana
Dekalb county } Sss

Before me personally came Henry Bowman Auditor of said county and acknowledged the Execution of the foregoing deed

John Critser Clerk
Dekalb Circuit Court

Deed
Geo. Whitman Deed
to
Wm Kaufman

Elmira William Kaufman assignee of Joshua Kirk has paid fifty Seven dollars being the payment in full for the North West of the North West of the North West quarter of Section Sixteen (16) in Township No. Thirty five (35) North of Range Thirteen (13) East in Pekalb county Indiana

Now Know ye that for and in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the Statute in such cases made and Provided. I George Whitman Auditor of Pekalb county Indiana for and in the name of the inhabitants of Stampersville Township No. Thirty five North of Range Thirteen East.

do grant and grant unto the said William Kaufman his heirs and assigns for ever the North West of the North West of the North West quarter of Section Sixteen (16) in Township No. Thirty five (35) North of Range Thirteen (13) East in Pekalb county Indiana.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name as Auditor of Pekalb county and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said county this 14 th days of February A D 1848

George Whitman Auditor
Pekalb Co.

50 cents Revenue Stamps

Seal

State of Indiana
Pekalb county ss.

Before me John Kalbian Clerk of the Circuit Court of Pekalb county Ind. personally Edward George Whitman Auditor of said county and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing Deed

Witness my hand and seal of said Court this 14 th day of February A D 1848

John Kalbian Clerk

Seal

March Session 1865

1st day

At a Board of Commissioners of Pulaski county, Indiana met in pursuance of law Monday March 6th Hon. Jacob Beckenbach Pres. Pro. and Alexander Brunner Commissioner. Present Wilson Sheriff and George Bachelman Auditor Clerk of the Board

Abram L. Miller came into open court and presents his petition for a license to sell intoxicating Liquors in less quantities than a quart on the premises described in Sec No 109 in the Winamac town of Pulaski County in Pulaski county Indiana

And the Board being satisfied that legal notice had been given and that the above named is a person of good character and fit to be trusted with such License

Ordered that License be granted to Abram L. Miller to sell Spirituous Liquors and malt Liquors in less than a quart to be drunk on Sec No 109. in Winamac City, for one year from the date hereof

Board Petition from Cass County in new precinct which is in the following words and figures

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Pulaski county, Indiana. The undersigned Citizens of Pulaski county & Cass County in said county would respectfully petition your Hon. Body, to grant to us a road leading West from the County farm on the Petition line to the Plank road in Cass county Indiana at the point between the South East corner of the West Half of the South West quarter of Section Nine and the South West corner of the East Half of the South East quarter of Section Eight all in Cass County Pulaski county Indiana and through lands owned by Jacob Beckenbach Elias Neal John Linton Abraham Powell Isaac Tate Peter Smith Jno Smith John Neal George Beeler and his Sons now petitioners would for the general good of said road most locate by the County Commissioners which Petition there are but owing to the remoteness and inconvenience of the above described portion, did not see how same have been heard in writing. The petitioners would therefore ask that your Hon Body will grant and order the Location of said Road. Abraham Powell George Beeler Cass County Ind. 6 D. 1865 Isaac Tate Jacob Beckenbach John Linton Milton Linton & Mr Linton Isaac Beeler & others Petitioners Elias Neal Isaac Beeler Jacob Beckenbach John Neal Jacob Neal Jacob Beeler Peter Smith William M Hatfield Charles Neal Abraham Powell David Smith Jno Smith Jacob Beeler & A. Neal Phillip Beeler Samuel Beeler Jr. and 4 others & Mr Linton & Mr. Beeler David M. Smith & others

Order Granted

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1845

A Lance & Sims D Grimes J.B. Matthews M Bailey J. Hill

The Board of Commissioners after due deliberation grant the license of the petitioner and appoint William Krabe John Krabe and Isaac Pitman viewers

1344 Ordered by the Board of Commissioners that Peter Timons be allowed twenty three dollars and forty cents for necessary amount & Sickness incurred in Family [illegible] Schedule Pair an Insane person

1345 Allowed Stull and Silburg five dollars for goods furnished families of Volunteers

1346 Allowed W.A.B. Grant five dollars and fifty cents for their furnished families of Volunteers

1347 Allowed Isaac Emanuel Forty dollars and for Medical attendance on families of Volunteers a

J.M. Brumback
Amzi Seely
A Grimes

Tuesday morning March 1 1845 The Board of Commissioners of Pickaway county met in pursuance of adjournment present same as yesterday

1349 Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of said county that Woodell &
1350, 1351 Goodman be allowed Three Hundred and Ninety Eight dollars and twenty five cents for goods furnished families of Volunteers

1352 Allowed D Woodell Twenty six dollars and fifty nine cents for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per Bill on file

1354 Allowed William M Goodman Three dollars for aid to Vol. families

1346 Allowed A. Grimes Fifteen dollars & goods furnished families of Vol.

1353 Allowed A.J. Blair Fourteen dollars and twenty nine cents for Aid furnished families of Vol. as per Bill on file

1357 Allowed Lydia Fifty five dollars and twenty cents for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per Bill on file

1348 Allowed Morgan Brandt Fourteen dollars and Eighty seven cents for aid to poor as per Bill on file

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1391 Allowed Caleb Mick and Conrad Tee Hundred and Eighty six dollars and for
1391 goods furnished families of Pat as per Bill on file
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1392 Allowed William M. Snyder Twenty three dollars for rent to Volunteers

1393 Allowed George Barney Thirty two dollars and Seventy four cents for
services as Treasurer of DeKalb county Indiana

Road Report in Fairfield Township

Christian Smith Jacob Deitz and Jacob Helmick come now and report as follows to wit.

We the Viewers appointed to view said road did on the Thirty first day of December 1894 proceed to view a proposed highway as follows to wit: commencing at the old State Road between Sections five (5) and Eight (8) at the School House in District No. 3. on said road thence running two rods on the Section line between said Sections five and Eight and one rod between Sections Nine and Ten to the county line to intersect the North and South Road. Said road is in Fairfield Township DeKalb county as described in the order. We did view and mark out said route and we therefore report said road favorable and of public utility

Whereupon the Board upon due consideration adopt the report and order said road located and opened as figured by

Christian Smith Jacob Deitz and
Jacob Helmick

And the Board upon due consideration adopt the report and order the above described road located and opened to the Width of forty feet.

Order Opened

Petition for a private road in Wilmington Township DeKalb county Ind.

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana.

your petitioner would respectfully represent to your honorable body that he is the owner in fee simple of the South East fourth of the North West quarter of Section twelve (12) in Township number Thirty four North of Range six Eastern East in DeKalb county Indiana

That he has no way over which he can reach a public highway from said premises but by passing through the intervening farms of other land owners that the nearest land on any public highway to which the said premises approaches is eighty rods and in order to accommodate your petitioner with the facilities egress and ingress to his said premises as above described he asks you to grant him a private road commencing at the South West corner of the North West quarter of said Section twelve (12) and running thence East on the South line of said North West quarter of Section 12 eighty rods or until it intersects the west line of said petitioner said said road being

Order Granted

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fifteen feet in width Being Eight rods in width from the house of Catharine Blackwell and Eight feet from the farm of Joseph Johnson
Signed John Proctor

Whereupon Jacob Johnson and Catharine Blackwell presented a remonstrance against the location of the foregoing described route and subscribed the Board also presented John Kelly William A Jones and William Hackwell witness and assess damages to the remonstrators if any.

1396 Allowed S M. Skelton Twenty six dollars and forty three cents for goods furnished families of Volunteers

1397 Allowed S M. Skelton Twenty five dollars and fifty one cents for goods furnished poor.

1398 Allowed Joseph D Davis Twenty two dollars and twenty one cents for goods
1399 furnished families of Volunteers

1400 Allowed Joseph D Davis four dollars and twenty cents for articles furnished poor.

1401 Allowed William H. Hodden Twenty dollars for medical attendance on poor

John Meinhardt come now and presents his petition for License to sell Spirituous liquors and malt liquors in less quantities than a quart and Board of Commissioners after being satisfied that proper and legal Notice was given and that the above named person is of good character and a fit person to be trusted with License
Ordered That License be granted to John Meinhardt to sell intoxicating drinks in less quantities than a quart on Lot six eight in Stevens addition to the Village of Butler in DeKalb county Indiana for the year from the date thereof

1402 Allowed Wm H Kaffman Six dollars and fifteen cents for Stationary furnished Recorders office

1403 Allowed C. B. Rose seven dollars and eighty four cents for goods furnished families of poor as per bill on file

1404 Allowed Emanuel Stahl Seventeen Dollars and fifty four cents for goods furnished Family William

1405 Allowed C. B. Rose seventeen dollars and Eighty cents for goods furnished families of Volunteers

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2 Div. 1408 Allowed Isaac Harman fourteen dollars and Ninety Two cents for Lodging Lumber

1409 Allowed Wm N. Constantine Eleven dollars and Eight cents for goods furnished families of Volunteers

1410 Allowed Carter & Young Thirty six dollars and Ninety Nine cents for Stationary furnished Auditor of DeKalb county

Bur 1249 1270 Allowed Eli H. Carper Thirty six dollars for Wood furnished Court House

1411 Allowed D. S. Sheldon Thirty four dollars for goods furnished families of Volunteers County

Allowed J. Stidd & Co. One Hundred and Ninety three dollars and fifty one cents for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per Bill on file

1412 Allowed W. H. Hubbell two dollars and fifty cents for goods furnished poor

1413 Allowed J. S. Simmons Thirty three dollars for goods furnished poor of DeK

1414 S. S. Lindsey is allowed Forty nine dollars for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per Bill on file in the Auditors office

1415 Williams Bracken is allowed Fifty four dollars and Sixty five cents for Stationery furnished DeKalb county Indiana as per Bill on file

Road Petition in Union and Jackson Township

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county and State of Indiana. We the undersigned Citizens of DeKalb county and State of Indiana do Petition your Honorable body to grant and locate a road as follows to wit. commencing at the line of the State Road running from Auburn to Newville in DeKalb county and State of Indiana where it crosses the centre line of Sec No 36 in Township No (34) North of Ranges (11) East on lands owned by Wm. Carter Samuel Davis and Henry Bingman Ten rods South on said line in Sec. No 36 through lands owned by Wm. Carter Henry Bingman Samuel Davis Lucas & Savage and Jabez M. Woodhouse to the Township line where on the corresponding line in Jackson Township Sec. No (1) on lands owned by Philip Cable John Cable Aaron Wagner and others, Below to intersect a road now in good repair on the premises of lands owned by Aaron Wagner Hamilton Dewel Thomas Savage and John Cable in Jackson Township DeKalb county Indiana for which your Petitioners would ever pray.

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said road is to be twenty five rods wide or corresponding with the road & connects signed by Samuel Davis & B. Brown E. B. Craft & D. M. Brown Charles Crim E. E. Thomas Samuel Howard & J. Turner Faith Brown John M. Pile John Turner Wm. Brown & Jr. Walker Marshall Brown Samuel M. Midway William Hodge David Walker Samuel Brown Henry Brown John L. Brown Lewis Teague William J. Wadsworth

and upon due consideration the Court grant the prayer of the petitioners and appointed

James McClelland Christian Shutts and Adam Y Beattle viewers

111 16 Allowed Adam Tompkins Ninety nine dollars for Rum furnished Vol. families

111 17 Allowed Joseph Miller twenty four dollars for Boarding drafted men's fam.

111 18 Moody and Rodman is allowed five dollars for goods furnished drafted Co. at the an Indiana person

111 19 Allowed A Wolf Sixty six dollars and twenty eight cts for goods furnished poor

111 20 Allowed Wolf and Lafferty Ninety nine dollars and fifteen cents for goods furnished families of Volunteers as per Bill on file

111 21 Allowed Wm L. Miller three dollars for goods furnished Mrs Brown poor

111 22 Allowed L. H. Baxter five dollars and twenty five cents for Expenses of Printing

111 23 Allowed Henry Elam Thirty five dollars and twenty five cents for Services as School examiner for Dekalb county Indiana

Stafford Township Road report

January 13. 1845

We the viewers appointed to view said road did on the 13th day of January 1845 proceed to view and locate said road as follows to wit. Commencing at the East line of Section four in Stafford Township Dekalb county Indiana at a point fifty feet North of center of said road track and running thence in a westerly direction along and parallel to said rail road until it intersects the North line of the South Half of said Section four and running thence west Twenty rods to the North West Corner of the South Half of said Section, then running a Highway already located said Highway to be twenty feet wide as described in the report of Samuel Miller & Wm Brown and D. M. Brown viewers and made and said route and the Viewers refer to said

road favorable and of public utility. Signed by
G. W. Mossmaster and Samuel Miller Viewers
The Board upon due consideration adopt the Report and order the above
described road located and opened

Road report in Stafford Township
January 13 1845

We the undersigned to view said Road did on the 13
day of January 1845 proceed to view and locate said road as
follows to wit. commencing at the North East corner of the
South West quarter of Section Seventeen in Stafford Township
and running thence South to the South East corner of the
North East quarter of Section twenty nine in said Township
thence South West to the West side of D. H. Brunswicks
Orchard so as to require the removal of but three apple trees
thence in a Southerly direction to the end of the Bridge across
the Mill pond thence below the the Public Road. said highway
to be forty feet wide as described in the order.
We Charles G. Mossmaster & Miller and D. W. Boyer did
view and mark out said route and we the viewers report
said Road favorable and of public utility Signed
D. W. Boyer G. W. Mossmaster and
Samuel Miller

And the Board order said road located and opened as above
described

Ordered that G. W. Mossmaster be allowed four dollars and fifty cents
and Samuel Miller and D. W. Boyer two dollars and
fifty cents each for viewing as road viewers
Allowed J. G. Turnbull for swearing road viewers fifty cents

And the Board adjourned to Wednesday Morning March 5. 1845

J. M. Brumbach.
Amzi Saby
A. Rozines

3 day. March Session 1845

The Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county Tennessee met Wednesday morning March 5. 1845 in pursuance of adjournment. present same as yesterday

Allowed Edward Williams Pr. Dills Ed. Democrat Thirty nine dollars for printing Judgment List

Allowed W.H. Dills Ed. Democrat Thirty seven dollars for printing Assessors Book for Dekalb county Tennessee &c

1124 Allowed John Thomas twenty five dollars for keeping Thomas

1129 Allowed Lewis Marsh Five dollars and twenty cents for goods furnished families Volunteers as per Bill on file

1130 Allowed James N Chamberlain four dollars for medical attendance on poor

1126 & 1127 Allowed Mary Lockwood twenty three dollars and fifty cents for Beef furnished Dekalb county Regiment

1125 & 1128 Allowed Elson & Robbins two Hundred and thirty one dollars and forty three cents for goods furnished families of Volunteers

1131 Allowed Elson & Robbins Eight dollars and fifty cents for County Stationery

1131 Allowed Thomas Fox three dollars and ninety nine cents for Beef furnished families of Volunteers

1132 Allowed Williams Fox twenty five dollars for aid to Volunteers

1133 Allowed James P. Rose five dollars and twenty two cents for Stationery furnished county officers

1134 Allowed John Walker one dollar and twenty five cents for goods furnished poor.

1135 Allowed William Wallace thirty five dollars and ten cents for taking care of cases of small Pox in Watertoo City in said county

1136 Allowed Watertoo City one Hundred and seven dollars for taking care of cases of small Pox

1137 Allowed Joseph Anderson one dollar and fifty cents for Beef furnished families of Volunteers

3 days

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Charles Linn is allowed five dollars for corn furnished poor

Thirty dollars and ninety cents is allowed to Michael Long. Meat furnished families of Pol.

Stephen Ward comes now and presents his petition for License to sell intoxicating liquors in less quantities than a quart and the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county, after being satisfied that proper notice was given and that the said Stephen Ward is a fit person to be trusted with License

Ordered that License be granted to sell spirituous liquors and malt liquors in less quantities than a quart to be drunk on his premises occupied by him situated on Lot No 116. in the incorporated Village of Waterloo City Dekalb county Indiana for one year from the date hereof

License Granted

1171 Allowed Michael Long Thirty dollars and Ninety cents for Meat furnished families of Pol.

Benjamin Bowman comes now and presents his petitions for License to retail liquors in less quantities than a quart.

And the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county after being satisfied that proper and legal Notice was given and that the said Benjamin Bowman is a fit person to be trusted with License

License Granted

Ordered that License be granted to sell intoxicating Liquors in quantities than a quart on the premises occupied by him and situated on Lot No 116 in the incorporated town of Waterloo City Dekalb county Indiana for one year from this date

1138 Allowed Emanuel Nidig five dollars for flour furnished poor

1139 Allowed Wm T. Lewis Thirty seven dollars for Attorney furnished Clerks office in Auburn Dekalb county

1140 Allowed Silas Gorton twenty five dollars for services as Clerk of Board.

Order Granted

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county that Asa Simons John M. Purdy and Reuben Casebeer be appointed viewers to view a road for a road The petitions for which were presented at the March Session 1841 on page 500. of this record

J. M. Brumback
Auditor Dekalb
County Indiana

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4 day

March Session 1845

The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb met Thursday morning March 4. 1845 in pursuance of adjournment present same as yesterday

The Board now proceed according to Law to select Twelve men to serve as Grand Jurors at the April Term of Circuit Court in DeKalb county Indiana. Whereupon the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county drew in the presence of the Board of Commissioners of said co. the following named persons to serve as jurors at said term in April 1845

William Worrell Thomas Bangs Henry Hines Isaac Hartzell
Isaac Rogers J. B. Simmons Jo. M. Cormick Moses
Wakeman Daniel Reynolds Geo Lozier Samuel
Leonards William Means

And in the same manner the following named persons were selected to serve as grand jurors at the Oct term of said court in 1845

William M. Moore	George Evans	Isaac Hedrick
L. D. Britton	Daniel Murray	James M. Norford
Daniel Waltz	George Eggers	John Evans
John McShane	John M. Walker	George Mellen

Petition for vacation of Street in Waterloo Ditty
To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana
The undersigned would pray your Honorable Board of Commissioners of to vacate Dye Street in Waterloo Ditty and to extend Douglas Street from Pine Street West to West street in lieu of said Dye Street upon petitioners are the only persons that would be affected in any way said alteration Respect M. M. Hopkins and Chas. H. Williamson

And the Board of Commissioners upon due consideration grant the prayer of the petitioners and vacate said Dye Street and extend said Douglas street from Pine Street West to West Street in lieu of said Dye Street

Allowed to B Stone two dollars for three furnished families of Pol.

Allowed William McBride Ninety dollars for superintending county Asylum

Allowed Mary McBride Eighteen dollars and Eleven cents for work done at county Asylum

Allowed Lucinda McBride Eighteen dollars and Eleven cents for work done at the county Asylum in DeKalb Co.

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H clerk

1145 Allowed $ 3.00 Three dollars for plan furnished Jacob Shannon Pub. as per Bills on file in the Auditors office

1146 Allowed C.B. Reese two dollars and twenty five cents for three quarter months of Dekalb county Indiana Militia

Road Petition in Franklin Township

To the Hon. Board of Commissioners of the county of DeKalb and State of Indiana

The undersigned would respectfully ask upon Honorable Board to take the proper legal steps to have located a road on the following route to wit.

Commencing eighty rods West of the North East corner of Section six in Franklin Township in your county Minus Lakin through or on the line of lands owned or occupied by Jacob Shannon, Braun for Rodgers heirs Shannon & M Clark & Bricker & Braun and Runs South to the road on or near the South line of said Section six and there to terminate. And we also ask that the road on the East line of said Sec. six be vacated

Jacob Shannon Eli M Clark Daniel Clark Philip Crane
Silas Wood Stephen Lewis Daniel Martin John Shannon
Isaac Shannon Daniel M Clark Simon Mann John M Clark
Josiah Ragan Daniel Shannon Thomas Cosby John Shannon
John M Brown

And the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county upon due consideration after being duly sworn and legal notice given upon the prayer of the petitioners and Stephen Lewis Jefferson D Reed and Thomas McKinney viewers

J. M. Brumbach
Attest Clerk
A Rarrius

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5 days

March Session 1865

Friday Morning March 10. 1865 The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county met in pursuance of adjournment present Jesse M. Brumback Chairman Daily and Alexander Downing Commissioners & Amos Henry Willis Sheriff and Ex officio Auditor and Clerk of the Board

111 17 Allowed Henry Hershiser five dollars for goods furnished Col. families

111 18 Allowed Henry Hershiser Eleven dollars for goods furnished poor

Came now the Trustees of the several Townships in DeKalb county and presented their Reports of the Receipts and Expenditures for the year ending March 1st 1865 of the several Townships. Which reports after being duly examined were received and

Ordered that the following named persons, Trustees of the several Townships be allowed the following amounts for services as Trustees to be paid out of the several Township funds. Henry Gordy twenty two dollars
Levi Brown twenty dollars and twenty five cents
James M Duncan forty six dollars and seventy five cents
William Henderson fifty dollars
Emanuel Reiding fifty one dollars and twelve cents
D D Hazelman fifty seven dollars
John M Cairncross twenty two dollars and fifty cents
Asa Downs forty five dollars and eighty seven cents
John G. Duncan forty six dollars and twenty five cents
Lashua Washburn Thirty two dollars and twenty five
William M. Maxwell fifty dollars
Enoch Woods fifty three dollars and twenty five

J. M. Brumback
Henry Daily
A Downing

4 days

March Session 1865

The Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Indiana met Saturday Morning March 11 1865 in pursuance of Law. present as yesterday

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners that that the following Amounts be levied on the several Townships for the different purposes as below stated

Jackson	Township for	Township purposes	10 cents on each $100 val.	
"	Township	Special School	25 " " " " "	
Troy	" "	" "	20 " " " " "	
"	" "	Township	6 " " " " "	$ 50
Newville	" "	"		85
"	" "	Special School poll 50 cts &	25 " " " " "	
Franklin	" "	" "	31 " 25 " " " "	
"	" "	Township		80
Wilmington	" "	Special	50 cts & 25 cts " " " "	
"	" "	Township		125
Union	" "	Special	25 cts " " " "	
Fairfield	" "	"	25 " " " "	—
"	" "	Township		75
Richland	" "	Special School poll 50 cts &	25 " " " "	
"	" "	Township		$ 150
Concord	" "	"	10 " " " "	
"	" "	Special School	20 " " " "	
Stafford	" "	"	10 " " " "	
"	" "	Township		125
Smithfield	" "	"		100
"	" "	Special	10 " " " "	

Allowed Simon Foster Thirty two dollars for Boarding Prisoner

1444 Allowed Newel Willis fifty three dollars and twenty five cents for services as Sheriff of DeKalb county

1450 Allowed John Zimmerman forty nine dollars and twenty five cents for Hose furnished families of Vol.

1451 Allowed Lucas Conklin ten dollars for work to Bridge

1452 Allowed Stiefel & Dehr twenty one dollars and fifty cents for work Michaels a county prisoner

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11153 Allowed D. A. Lemmon Eight dollars and Thirteen cents for Medical attendance on Co. Asylum

11154 Allowed W. C. Shaffer County six dollars for furniture furnished Court House

11155 Allowed Adams Elliott Fifteen dollars and fifty three cents Coroners at County Asylum

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county That Henry Willis be and is hereby authorized and appointed to take charge of Charles Parr and his property until the May Term of the Commissioners Court 1865

11156 Ordered by the Board that County Five dollars be appropriated for a bridge over a small Creek in Sandwich in Dist. 17 to be spent under the superintendence of J. M. Brumback

Ordered by the Board that ten dollars be appropriated for Bridge over the Creek at Fairfield payable to Emanuel Nagley

Ordered by the Board that four Hundred and forty dollars be appropriated for the building of a prison at the Court House

Allowed George Mershman Three Hundred and twenty six dollars and sixty two cents for Services as Auditor of DeKalb county

Ordered that Jesse M. Brumback Amzi Seely and Alexander Downes be each allowed twenty one dollars for services as Commissioners of DeKalb county Sessions

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county Sessions that James H. Chamberlain be and is hereby appointed County Physician for the ensuing year and the Board of Commissioners adjourned to the session in course

J. M. Brumback
Amzi Seely
A. Downes

Auditor's Deed to Jonathan Shrewsbury

This Indenture witnesseth that Jonathan Shrewsbury of Marion township Delaware county Indiana party of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of Forty Dollars and lawful money of the United States to him in hand paid by Jonathan Shrewsbury of Delaware county Indiana party of the second part the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged has granted bargained and sold and by these presents does grant bargain and sell unto the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns forever the following described real estate situate in the county of Delaware and State of Indiana to wit: The South West quarter of Section Sixteen (16) in Township Twenty Four North of Range Eleven (11) East in Delaware county Indiana containing one hundred and sixty acres more or less.

Now know ye that for and in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the Statute in such case made and provided I Jesse Coleman Auditor of Delaware county for and in the name of the inhabitants of Centre township No 22 North of Range No 11 East in said county do give such grant unto the said Jonathan Shrewsbury that said South West quarter of Section Sixteen (16) in Township No Twenty four North of Range Eleven East in said Delaware county Indiana unto his heirs and assigns for ever

Given under my hand and seal of the Board of Commissioners of Delaware county this 13th day of May 1845

Seal

Jesse Coleman Auditor

Delaware co.

Deed No. 1845
50 Ts 50 Cts
H. H. Dud.

State of Indiana
Delaware county ss

Before me John Coleman Clerk of the Delaware Circuit Court in said County came Jesse Coleman Auditor of Delaware county and acknowledged the execution of the annexed Deed

Given under my hand and official seal at my office in Muncie this 13th day of May 1845

John Coleman Clerk

Auditor DeKalb Co
to
John N Clark

Whereas John N Clark did on or before the to the Auditor of DeKalb county a certificate of purchase bearing date the 25. 1847 and has paid the full amount of principal and interest due thereon to the East Half of the South West quarter of Section No Sixteen (16) Township No Thirty five (35) North of Range fourteen (14) East in DeKalb County Indiana,

Now know ye that in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the Statute in such case made and provided. I Geo Lukeman Auditor of DeKalb county in the name of the inhabitants of Congressional Township No Thirty five North of Range fourteen East.

do give grant and grant to the said John N Clark the East Half of the South West quarter of Section No Sixteen in Township No Thirty five North of Range fourteen East in DeKalb County Indiana and to his Heirs and assigns for ever

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name as Auditor of DeKalb Co. and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said county this 17th day of March A.D. 1865

Geo Lukeman Auditor DeKalb Co.

50 cts Stamps (Seal)

State of Indiana }
DeKalb county } ss

Before me John Ralston Clerk of the Circuit Court of DeKalb county personally came Geo Lukeman Auditor and acknowledged the execution of the annexed Deed

(Seal)

Witness my hand and official Seal at Auburn in said county this 17th day of March 1865.

John Ralston Clerk

Auditor's Deed
to
Jabez H. Clark

Whereas John H. Clark assignee of George Shutt assignee of Daniel McNamara assignee of David Clark did present to the undersigned Auditor of Dekalb county a certificate of purchase bearing date March 11 1848 for the North East quarter of Section No Ten in Township Forty North of Range No fourteen East in Dekalb county Indiana and did pay the full amount of purchase and interest due thereon

Now know ye that in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the statute in such case made and provided I George Washburn Auditor of Dekalb county Indiana in the name of the inhabitants of Township Thirty five (35) North of Range Fourteen East do give grant and sell to the said Jabez H Clark the South West quarter of the South West quarter of section Nine (9) in Township Thirty five North of Range No Fourteen East in Dekalb county Indiana and to his heirs and assigns for ever

In Witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name as Auditor and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county this 17th day of March A.D. 1848

George Washburn Auditor
Dekalb Co.

State of Indiana
Dekalb county ss

Before me Jabez Beatty Clerk of the Board of Dekalb county personally appeared the above named George Washburn and acknowledged the execution of the above deed

Witness my hand and official seal at Auburn in said county this 17th day of March 1848

Jabez Beatty Clerk

Special Session May 17. 1865

The Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county Indiana met in pursuance of adjournment heretofore for the purpose of making a final disposition of the sale of the poor farm and also to let the contract for boarding and clothing the paupers for next year to Isaac Brumback and Alexander Provines Commissioners and Westfall Auditor & Ex officio Clerk of the Board

Whereupon the sale of said farm was confirmed and the contract for boarding and clothing the paupers let to John Brubaker and thereupon the said Superintendent William McBride ordered to leave the premises Whereupon the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county

Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county that the said William McBride be Notified by the Sheriff of said county to leave and remove his goods and effects within ten days from the date of the Notice

Ordered the Board of Commissioners of Dekalb county Ordered to John Brubaker all the personal property and effects belonging to the county Witness for Four Hundred and twenty dollars

Jas N. Brumback
A Provines

Deed for Lots Town
Com of DeKalb Co
to
Kennup Ferre

Whereas Kennup Ferre did produce to the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county a certificate of purchase for the North fractional half of section fifteen (the fractional thirty three (33) North of range seven (7) East bearing date Dec 16th 1856

And whereas the principal and interest due thereon has been paid in full

Now know ye that in consideration of the premises and in compliance with the statute in such case made and provided I Ruthchman Auditor of DeKalb county and State aforesaid in the name of the inhabitants of Congressional Township Thirty three (33) north of range seven (7) East do give and grant unto the said Kennup Ferre the fractional half of section fifteen (15) in township thirty three (33) north of range seven (7) East containing one hundred and six and ninety hundredths acres more or less in DeKalb county Indiana unto to him and assigns forever.

Witness my hand and seal of the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb county this 10th day of Febr 1860

Ruthchman Aud. DeKalb co.

State of Indiana }
DeKalb county } ss Before me W H Dills a Notary in and for said County personally came Ruthchman Auditor of said county and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing deed

Witness my hand and Notarial seal this 10th day of February 1860

W H Dills
Notary Public

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